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Wednesday unsettled, generally fair; southwest winds.

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THE LOWELL SUN

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O'CLOCK

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BELGIAN STRIKE
SETTLED TODAY

General Walk-Out for
Manhood Suffrage
Was Concluded

This Ends the Political
Strike of Half Million
Workers

Soldiers Guarding Rail-
road Station Were
Fired Upon

Strike at St. Lambert
Brought to an End
Today

BRUSSELS, April 22.—The general strike of Belgian workmen for manhood suffrage, which started ten days ago, has been brought to a conclusion favorable to the workmen, nearly half a million of whom laid down their tools to enforce their demand for equal suffrage.

The leaders of the socialist trades unions and their followers have gained their first point, which was to make the government take into consideration a change in the Belgian parliamentary franchise hitherto to their disadvantage at the polls, owing to its system of plural votes for the wealthier and more highly educated classes.

At the last returns 993,000 men possessed one vote, 329,586 two votes and 505,583 three votes, so that the single votes were always overwhelmed.

This is the first occasion on record in which a political strike has resulted in victory for the strikers, and the whole movement has been notable for the energy and determination displayed and for the excellent control shown by the men, who have entirely refrained from violence. They have not yet obtained their full demand but the socialist leaders express certainty that the consideration of their claims will equal for all.

When the chamber of deputies met this afternoon there was a tense feeling of expectancy. The conciliatory motion of E. Masson, the liberal leader, was taken up immediately.

Deputy Liebart, a clerical, proposed an additional clause reading "The chamber disapproves and condemns the general strike."

Premier De Broqueville accepted the motion as amended and asked the other members of his party not to support any changes.

The socialist leader, Emile Vandervelde, said today: "We deplore of the left support M. Masson's motion for a compromise. It remains for us to convoca a socialist congress, which alone has the power to decide whether the strike shall end or not; we have the conviction that the adoption of the motion would be a step in advance."

The first part of the motion was then adopted unanimously by the chamber.

STRIKE AT ST. LAMBERT WAS BROUGHT TO AN END BY RE- TURN OF ALL WORKERS

ST. LAMBERT, Belgium, April 22.—The strike was brought to an end here this morning by the return of all the workers to the glass factories, which are the most important in Belgium.

SOLDIERS GUARDING RAILROAD STATION WERE FIRED AT FIVE TIMES

BRAINE-LE-COMTE, Belgium, April 22.—Soldiers guarding a railroad bridge near here were fired at five times from a long range during the night but none of them was hit. It is not known whether the outrage was committed by strikers or other persons.

OFFICIAL DENIAL OF DISTORTED REPORTS PUBLISHED IN ENGLAND

ANTWERP, Belgium, April 22.—The governor of the province of Antwerp said today that the port had been injured more by exaggerations of the effect of the strike published abroad than by the strike itself. He requested the British consul general to issue an official denial of the distorted reports published in England.

LIQUOR LICENSES
GRANTED TODAY

License Commissioners Granted
62 First Class Licenses at
Meeting This Morning

The license commissioners met at their rooms at the police station on Market street this morning at 10 o'clock and spent two hours in strenuous session over the problem of granting the liquor licenses for the ensuing year. All three members of the board, John J. Mullany, Charles H. Hanson and Thomas P. Boulier, were in attendance at the meeting and although the business was transacted without any unnecessary delay, the first class licenses, was all that the board could agree upon during the forenoon. After granting 62 first class licenses the board adjourned its meeting until 2:30.

There were 109 applicants in all classes and only 105 can be granted. Last year there were 63 first class licenses granted. This year only 52 are granted, the one dropped being that of H. F. Murphy & Co., 529 Broadway.

First Class Common Victuallers
The list of first class or common victuallers' license is as follows: William J. Brown, Mary J. Dawson, Dawson & Co., 2 Thorndike street; Hermelin Gervais, J. Albert, Gervais & Co., 30-36 Tremont street; Louis N. Mercier, Benjamin K. Kilpatrick, Mercier & Co., 365-370 Moody street.

Dennis J. Conney, Mary R. Conney, D. Conney & Co., 279 Central street and 36 Gorham street.

Owen M. Donohoe, Joseph E. Donohoe, O. M. Donohoe & Co., 112 Gorham street.

Thomas E. Lennon, Ella E. Lennon, Thomas E. Lennon & Co., 302 Market street.

Frank Brady, John J. Conlon, Frank Brady & Co., 219 Dutton street.

John Clancy, David J. Hackett, John Clancy & Co., 86 Salem street, and 29 and 32 Willie avenue.

Daniel F. Sullivan, Michael F. Conroy, D. F. Sullivan & Co., 2-4 Andrews street.

Catherine M. Mahoney, John Collins, J. J. Mahoney & Co., 530 Merrimack street.

John P. Mahoney, Mary T. Mahoney, C. P. Mahoney & Co., 735-740 Gorham street, and 3 Chambers street.

Andrew L. Pendleton, John J. Pendleton, A. L. Pendleton & Co., 11-13 Merrimack street.

Philip A. Poissant, Joseph A. Poissant, Poissant & Co., 316 Middlesex street.

Frederick W. Barrows, Lillian H. Burrows, F. W. Barrows & Co., 1912 Central street, 642-646 Gorham street.

Patrick Donohoe, Nora Donohoe, P. Donohoe & Co., 13-15 Adams street.

Louis P. Turcotte, Marcelline Turcotte, L. P. Turcotte & Co., 141-145-171 Worthen street and 1 Worthy avenue.

Jeremiah Bailey, Catherine J. Bailey, Bailey & Co., 7-11 Whipple street.

Michael J. Markham, Ralph A. Culhane, M. J. Markham & Co., 111 Gorham street and 3 Wlnter street.

Mary A. Callahan, William J. Eastman, J. H. Callahan & Co., 405 Lawrence street, 53-57 Abbott street.

Edward F. Brady, Nellie F. Brady, E. Brady & Co., 51 Fletcher street, 51-54 Worthen street.

Andrew J. Donohoe, 475-477 Gorham street, 200 Highland street.

Frank A. Donohoe, James P. Donohoe, F. A. Donohoe & Co., 224 Central street, and 6 Depot avenue.

Daniel J. Gannon, Nora V. Gannon, J. J. Gannon & Co., 512 Suffolk street, 291-295 Moody street.

Edward F. Shea, Elizabeth A. Shea, E. F. Shea & Co., 73 East Merrimack street.

Cornelius E. Dugan, Margaret J. Dugan, Charles A. Dugan, C. E. Dugan & Co., 12-44 Gorham street.

Pierre Bourgouin, 562 Moody street.

Michael E. Egan, Anthony A. Conroy, George E. Shontell, Globe Wine Co., 564-566 Gorham street.

Jeremiah McGlinchey, Nellie McGlinchey, McGlinchey & Co., 81-86 Gorham street.

Frank Farnard, 525 Merrimack street, John Donohoe, Mary J. Donohoe, John Donohoe & Co., 15 Moody street, 33 Worthen street.

Martin Conway, Delta T. Brennan, Brennan & Co., 224 Middlesex street.

Joseph H. McDonald, Annie M. McDonald, J. H. McDonald & Co., 11-13 Wlnter street, 53-57 Aiken street.

Edgar Billingsley, John W. Billingsley, Billingsley & Co., 149-153 Market street.

Thomas P. Lane, Bridged Lane, Thos. P. Lane & Co., 133 Crosby street, 62 Kimball street.

Charles A. Connors, 238-244 Moody street.

James J. McCausland, James Gavin, J. J. McCausland & Co., 25 Coburn street and 90 West Third street.

REV. DENIS A. O'BRIEN

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Denis O'Brien, of Centralville, Ordained in Rome—Will Return Home Early in July

Rev. Denis Augustine O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denis O'Brien of Centralville, and who has been studying at the American college, Rome, since 1908, was on Sunday, April 20th, ordained to the sacred priesthood by the Latin patriarch of Constantinople in the church of St. Apollinaris, Rome. The young cleric on the following day, April 21st, celebrated his first mass in the basilica of St. Clement the Great church, in Rome, of His Eminence, Cardinal O'Connell. Fr. O'Brien will remain in Rome until the latter part of June, preparing for the Propaganda university examinations, returning to America the early part of July. Fr. O'Brien will sing high mass in St. Michael's church on July 6th.

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LOWELL IS A HEALTHY CITY

Monthly Bulletin of State Board of Health Says So—Few Deaths From Contagious Diseases

In the monthly bulletin of the state health department for February there is an article on infection of the milk supply and spread of typhoid fever with sediment from a sewage fever. In stating the importance of typhoid fever it was supposed to have infected 40 persons in one of the Massachusetts cities. The statement is made that the disease has been reported in Lowell.

The average typhoid death rate per 10,000 for Massachusetts cities and towns for the four years, 1909-12, is given in the report, and Lowell stands second in the number of deaths reported. The average death rate in Lowell from typhoid fever in the four years as against 24 in Lynn, 22 in Fall River, 62 in Lawrence, 64 in Springfield, and 31 in New Bedford.

Cases in Lowell

The following about typhoid fever in Lowell in 1912 appears:

Two cases of typhoid fever occurred in Lowell in 1912 on the record of a certain milkman early in September. The dairy was immediately investigated, and from the 12 employees Widal tests were taken of which 12 were negative. The thirteenth test was atypical. Since nothing was found here to explain satisfactorily the cases, further investigations were made at other dairies from which the milkman secured milk, and at one place the dairyman still with typhoid fever had just been removed to the hospital. The milk had been infected by this man in the handling, and this was the source of the infection in the cases reported.

Though this investigation was undertaken promptly, and the sale of milk from this source was forbidden when six cases had been reported, there were 34 additional cases reported during the remainder of the month, 52 of which were attributed directly to this source.

2. Milk handled by a table maid who was coming down with the disease infected 60 people who spent Labor day at a country hotel in Worcester county in 1909.

Weekly Death Returns

The report also contains weekly returns of deaths from cities and towns of more than 10,000 population, and for the week ending Feb. 1, 1913, the total number of deaths reported in this city (from all causes) was 39, as against 36 in Cambridge, 35 in New Bedford and 33 in Springfield, all smaller cities.

Typhoid in Gardens

Relative to typhoid fever the report states that lettuce, celery and other vegetables, used without cooking, and taken from gardens where sewage or

the disease is least suspected and when the fewest precautions are observed, and during the first three weeks of the sickness.

Infection Through Cuticles

Or recent years another source of infection has been recognized, one which readily explains many cases hitherto impossible to account for satisfactorily. It has been found that certain persons, called carriers, harbor typhoid bacilli and discharge them through the urine and feces. The elimination of bacilli is not constant, but intervals of varying length occur when the stools and urine are free from the germs. Repeated examinations are therefore necessary to demonstrate that a carrier is no longer a source of danger.

For convenience carriers have been divided into two classes, the transitory, when the bacilli are found for a period of less than three months, and the chronic, when they are found for a longer period. The class of transitory carriers includes all persons during the incubation stage of the disease (i.e.) those clinically recovered, but who still excrete bacilli in their excretions, and to healthy persons in contact with the infection. Chronic carriers include persons who have had the disease and healthy persons who have never had it.

Of 433 carrier cases discovered in northwestern Germany, where carriers have been especially studied, 211 were transitory and 222 were chronic carriers. Of the transitory, 12.6 per cent, and of the chronic, 50 per cent, had typhoid fever. Three months was considered the limit for distinguishing between transitory and chronic carriers.

Several painstaking and careful investigations by different observers have shown that over 11 per cent. of the cases investigated were eliminating bacilli for a period exceeding six weeks after the cessation of the fever.

Conservative judgment, based upon data available at the present time, indicates that 4 or 5 per cent. of the cases become carriers.

It is not known how long a person may continue to be a carrier. Instances are recorded where

the period is known to have extended over twenty, thirty, even forty or more years.

This means that in Massachusetts alone there are from 120 to 150 carriers added to the population from year to year. The important significance of these facts is plain when we realize that typhoid bacilli are liable to be at any time to be employed on dairy farms, in public places such as hotels or restaurants, or in homes as cooks and waitresses, or in other positions where their work involves the handling of food products.

Experience in Lowell

In connection with the preparation of this report, several experiences with carrier infection have been encountered:

1. One experience, occurring in Lowell, well illustrates the desirability of the early report of cases and the importance of early co-operation with the laboratory, since the source of infection was found and preventive measures were taken before the report of the cases had been received through the ordinary channels.

The state health inspector, happening to be in the Lowell laboratory on August 8, learned of three positive Widal tests taken on August 5, 7 and 10 from patients in North Chelmsford.

By arrangement the three positive cases and two other doubtful cases in North Chelmsford were visited on Aug.

10. All five obtained milk from the same dairy. This visit showed the dairy

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Case of Milk Bottles

But 35 towns (no cities) placard for typhoid fever. The bearing of this fact upon the spread of infection through the exchange of milk bottles and the danger from the exchange of bottles at the grocer's has already been noted.

The use of milk bottles for other purposes than that for which they are intended is prohibited by law. It is an uncommon sight to see specimens of urine brought into a doctor's office in a milk bottle, and authentic instances have been reported of tuberculosis sputum being delivered for examination in a milk bottle. These bottles are thrown into the ash can and eventually find their way to the public dump.

One firm in this state makes a business of collecting stray bottles and returning them to their owners. During the past year nearly 2,000,000 bottles were handled by this exchange. Of this number 50,000 were picked up at various dumps. Many of these bottles were in an unspeakably filthy condition. After washing with warm water and soaps these bottles are distributed to the various owners. Of the 225 milk dealers using this exchange, only a few of the larger ones have a sterilizing plant. In consequence these filthy bottles, recovered from public dumps after one or two more or less careful washings, are refilled with milk and distributed to the public.

The use of such bottles should be prohibited unless thoroughly cleaned and sterilized.

Investigation of Cases

Another difficulty in suppressing typhoid fever is that outside of some cities and a few of the larger towns there is little or no investigation of cases, no attempt to discover the source of infection and no record regarding previous cases beyond the list of cases reported, which might be used for studying the situation.

BABY SHOT BY PLAYMATE

Bullet Grazed Top of Head—Will Recover

BOSTON, April 22.—Rocco Ferria, 11 years, narrowly escaped instant death yesterday when a bullet accidentally fired from a revolver in the hands of Antonio Fierrest, 11, of 110 Decatur street,反cutting grazed the top of his head and inflicted a severe scalp wound.

Young Fierrest, when he saw the child lying unconscious and bleeding on the floor of a room in his house, where the shooting took place, ran away, last night the boy had not been found, although his parents and the police had made search for him.

According to the children who were in the room, young Fierrest had been playing with them before the accident. In running about the room he found a revolver in a bureau drawer and kept playing with it.

Suddenly the weapon spurted fire and they saw their little playmate drop to the floor. The frightened children ran to the street and told the child's mother, Mrs. Rocco Ferria of 103 Decatur street.

The child was revived and taken to the hospital, and it is believed that unless complications develop she will recover.

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PRES. WILSON MAKES AN APPEAL

To Governor Johnson of California Not to Enact Any Anti-Alien Land Laws

WASHINGTON, April 22.—President Wilson after a conference with the democratic delegation in congress today decided to telegraph Gov. Johnson and legislative leaders in California appealing to them not to enact any anti-alien land laws in contravention of treaty obligations of the United States with Japan.

The telegram is as follows:

"I speak on the assumption which I am sure is well founded that the people of California do not desire their representatives—and that their representatives do not wish or intend—in any circumstances to embarrass the government of the United States in its dealings with a nation with whom it has more earnestly and cordially sought to maintain relations of genuine friendliness and goodwill and that least of all do they desire to do anything that might impair treaty obligations or cast a doubt upon the honor and good faith of the nation and its government."

SPECIAL!

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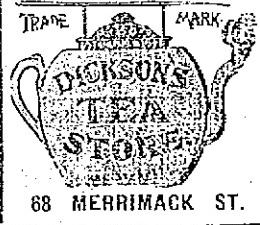
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BARTLETT & DOW
216 Central Street.

Rev. Fr. Broderick. The bearers were John Mansfield, Michael Moriarty, Timothy Moriarty and Henry Fitzgerald. The body was brought to this city by funeral arrangements were in charge of Dr. P. E. Hulley of Holyoke. Burial was under the direction of Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

FERRERA.—The funeral of John Ferrera took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Alvaro and Stepha Ferrera, 68 Tyler street. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

MCHIBATI.—There was very large attendance at the funeral of Master John Joseph McGrath, the sorrow for the deceased and the sympathy for the bereaved parents being manifested on every hand and particularly by the large attendance at the church, the four choirs and the beautiful array of floral tributes so tenderly expressing the love of relatives, teachers and friends for the deceased boy.

The cortage left the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath, 70 Pleasant street, at 8:30 and at 9 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Owen McQuaid, O. M. I. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

The bearers were playmates or close friends of the deceased, namely, John Connor, Walter Connor, Joseph Burns, William Doyle, James Burns, Eugene Doyle, James Shanley and Edward Shanley.

The interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where the committal service was conducted by Rev. Fr. McQuaid, O. M. I. Undertaker M. H. McDonough Sons.

There was a great array of beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Our Johnnie" from the parents; standing cross inscribed "Nephew, from Frank McGrath; pillow also inscribed "Nephew, from Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shanley"; "John," from Miss Crowley and Miss Emerson of the Pond street school; star on base, inscribed "Godchild," from Daniel Cosgrave; spray of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Lawler. Among others who sent floral tributes were: Miss Bridget McNulty, her family; Mr. and Mrs. Francis Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Roy, Mary and Joseph Goshan, Rowlandson children, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah McHinchey and family, Miss Bowen, John Connor, Francis Slattery, Walter Connor, Alton Brine, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. J. Shillane, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dooley and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. and Joseph Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sheahan, Gladys Ada and Walter Moorey, Mrs. Ann Stavin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Willmott, Mr. Michael McElroy and family, Master Ned Lee, Mr. Michael E. Rourke, Mr. Ned Lee, Mr. Michael E. Rourke, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Macnamara, Mrs. Donal and family, Mr. and Mrs. James J. McNamee, and others.

DEATHS

SANBORN—Harold W. Sanborn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Sanborn, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 24 By street, aged one year and twelve days.

ROTH—William C. Roth, aged 6 years, died this morning at the home of his parents, Martin and Jonathan Roth, 235 West London street. He leaves besides his parents, one brother Martin and two sisters, Emma and Catherine.

FUNERALS

MANSFIELD.—The funeral of Matthew Mansfield, a former resident of Lowell, took place yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock from the home of Patrick Fitzgerald, Holyoke, and was largely attended. A high funeral mass was sung at St. Jerome's church by

City Coal Contract Awarded

The contract for 85 tons of coal for the city hall was awarded today to John P. Quinn. His bid was \$4.95 a ton; Sullivan bid \$4.97; Wilson \$4.98; Horne, \$5.05; Burnham & Davis was awarded the contract for a carload of spruce plank for bridge work. This company bid \$24.55 a thousand.

CHARLES A. ABELS

CHOSEN VALEDICTORIAN OF HIGH SCHOOL CLASS

MISS GLADYS L. DODGE WON HONORS OF SALUTATORIAN OF GRADUATING CLASS OF 1913 AT LOWELL HIGH SCHOOL

Charles A. Abels of 42 Nicolet street, has received the honor of valedictorian of the graduating class of 1913 at the high school, while Miss Gladys L. Dodge of 607 School street, is salutatorian of the same class. The announcement was made by Principal Irish today and the honors were won in a class of over two hundred students.

FUNERAL NOTICES

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ORDERED OUT OF TOWN

Head of Cananea Copper Co. Chased

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 22.—J. J. Douglas of the Cananea Consolidated Copper Co., who was ordered by a mob yesterday to leave Cananea, arrived here late last night and related his experiences. Trouble had been brewing for a week, he said, owing to the company shutting down more than half of its works because of lack of fuel. Story of the 2600 men thrown out of employment had been given odd jobs and supplies, but that did not appease the majority. Early yesterday, he continued, a crowd of 2500 persons surrounded his office and sent a delegation of four accompanied by Col. Alvarado of the state troops and Prefect Durazo to him with four demands.

"They declared I must immediately appoint a successor as general manager of the company," he said. "Col. J. must leave Cananea at once, as under article 52 of the Mexican constitution I had been adjudged by the people a perfidious character, that Senor Pasquale would arrive Tuesday with the demand that mine be reopened and all idlemen put to work, and that if the company did not immediately operate the mines they would see that another company did."

Douglas said that Col. Alvarado had only 200 soldiers there and was unable to control the situation. "He advised me to leave, as did officials of the company, so I closed up my business as well as I could and left a few hours later. I don't know what the company will do."

DROWNING OF YOUTH

John Collins Held as Witness

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 22.—John Collins was held today as a witness in connection with the alleged drowning in the Winooski river of Bolton of a negro youth who had been accused of stealing the dinner pails of three railroad section hands. Collins is the attorney taken into custody. John Kenison, who told the police, according to the latter that the boy's death was due to a ducking which he received during an effort to make him confess, was released on his own recognizance today.

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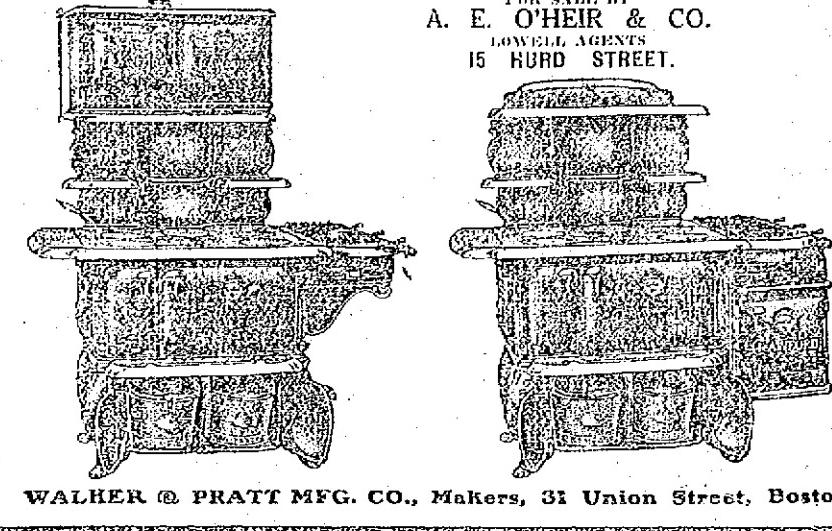
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Academy of Music
Augusta Perry and her popular stock company started their third week at the Academy yesterday. The play selected for the first two days is "The Girl and the Parson," and the Perry company certainly knows how to produce it. Miss Perry takes the part of Amy, "the Girl," an entirely different role from any she has appeared in during the preceding weeks here. The change simply shows what Miss Perry really can do, for she is just as natural in the role as she has been in the others. The plot is well selected to suit the theatre-goers, being bright with good comedy and dramatic situations. Walter Dowling as the parson, plays his part in a capable manner. The supporting company was good. "The Girl and the Parson" will be repeated today, and "Camilie" will be the offering for Wednesday and Thursday, matinee and evening. Popular prices. Daily matinees, 10c; evenings, 10c, 20c, 25c.

night when he was struck and knocked down, receiving his injuries. Later the police of the Jay street station arrested man on suspicion of having struck Winkler. The prisoner was taken to the hospital but Winkler was unable to identify him.

SIX NEW HORSES
Purchased For the Health Department at a Total Cost of Over \$1700
The health department, through the

purchasing agent's office, has purchased six new horses: two from Charles H. Clapp & Co., two from Thomas Vaughn estate, and two from Charles H. Hanson & Co. The total amount paid was \$1725. This is somewhat less than \$300 for each horse and it was stated today that the market price is a little over the \$300 mark. One of the corporations in this city paid \$900 for a pair of horses within the last two weeks and within a similar period the Harvard brewery paid upward of \$550.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE M.E. CONFERENCE

Adjourned After Bishop Hamilton
Read List of Pastoral Appointmets

SOMERSWORTH, N. H., April 21.—The New Hampshire Methodist Episcopal conference adjourned today after Bishop Hamilton had read the list of pastoral appointments. The changes were:

Manchester district—Antrim, J. C. Brooks; Concord district—Alexandria, G. J. Parker; Gilmanton and West Goffstown, to be supplied; Derry, to be supplied; Center Sandwich, W. B. Young; Hillsdale, supplied by W. B. Colby; Colebrook, A. T. Hooper; St. J. Osgood; Manchester, St. George's church, First church, H. B. Williams; First church, W. B. Thomas; Marlboro, Franklin, L. C. Brown; Laconia, Trinity supplied by J. P. Thayer; Nashua, All Saints' church, to be supplied; Llandaff, to be supplied; Littleton, L. R. Danforth; Milford and Dunbarton, W. S. Frye; Piermont, to be supplied; Pittsburg, supplied by J. F. Oly; Stark and Crystal, Pleasant Street church, F. S. Webb; West Bridgewater, supplied by G. A. Sawyer; West Milan, E. S. Bartlett; West Thornton and Elizworth, to be supplied; Whitefield, William W. Stiles; Greenland, C. C. Middlecamp; Thompson, Woodsville and Swiftwater, Hickman; Haverhill, Mass., C. C. Garland; J. R. Dimmick.

MR. HENRY F. CARR OBSERVED 82ND BIRTHDAY

Of Park Board Has Plans
for Improvements

HAND STAND AND ELECTRIC FOUNTAINS

Over Pond Which Will Have Wading Pools—Sanitariums and Shelters Also Planned

Park Commissioner Henry F. Carr has had prepared quite elaborate plans for sanitaries and shelter houses on the South common. Mr. Carr has also had plans prepared for a bridge and bandstand over the pond in the South common and this arrangement would include wading pools and electric fountains. The fountains would be in the pool to be known as the "upper pool" and on either side of the bridge and band stand.

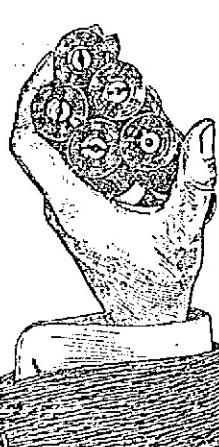
The plan of pool is at present irregular, and the proposed change shows an area covering about the same area, that is, 80 feet wide and 230 feet long. It is proposed to have a low curb on the outside of the oval for a space of 20 feet all around. The water would be shallow, so that a wading space would be provided for the children. The band stand would be approached by two bridges, one from each side of the pool and the whole construction to be of reinforced concrete. Wrought iron gates would be provided on the land side of the bridges. The roofs of the sanitaries and shelters would be of red tile. On the two rear wings of the sanitaries there would be pergolas for vines and there would be locked rooms, shower baths, closets, etc., for men and boys on the left path. On the right would be the matron's room, closets for women and children, with shower baths for the latter. The walls would be constructed of hollow clay tiles with air space, and finished with Portland cement inside and out. This will make a simple and not expensive form of construction.

The grouping of the two schemes, the architects say, would seem to be the natural thing to do. The approach from Summer street to the pergola and covered shelter would afford easy access to those who wished to visit them. The location of the band stand over the center of the pool with the bridges, fountain, etc., would be in the practical center of the natural amphitheatre on three sides.

OWNERS OF TITANIC

Federal District Court Dismissed Petition of Company For a Limitation of Liability

NEW YORK, April 21.—The federal district court this afternoon dismissed the petition of Oceanic Steam Navigation Co., Limited, as owner of the White Star Line, Titanic, for a limitation of liability resulting from the loss of the Titanic. The court held that the company's liability is to be determined by the law of Great Britain, which would make the owners of the Titanic liable for about \$3,000,000.



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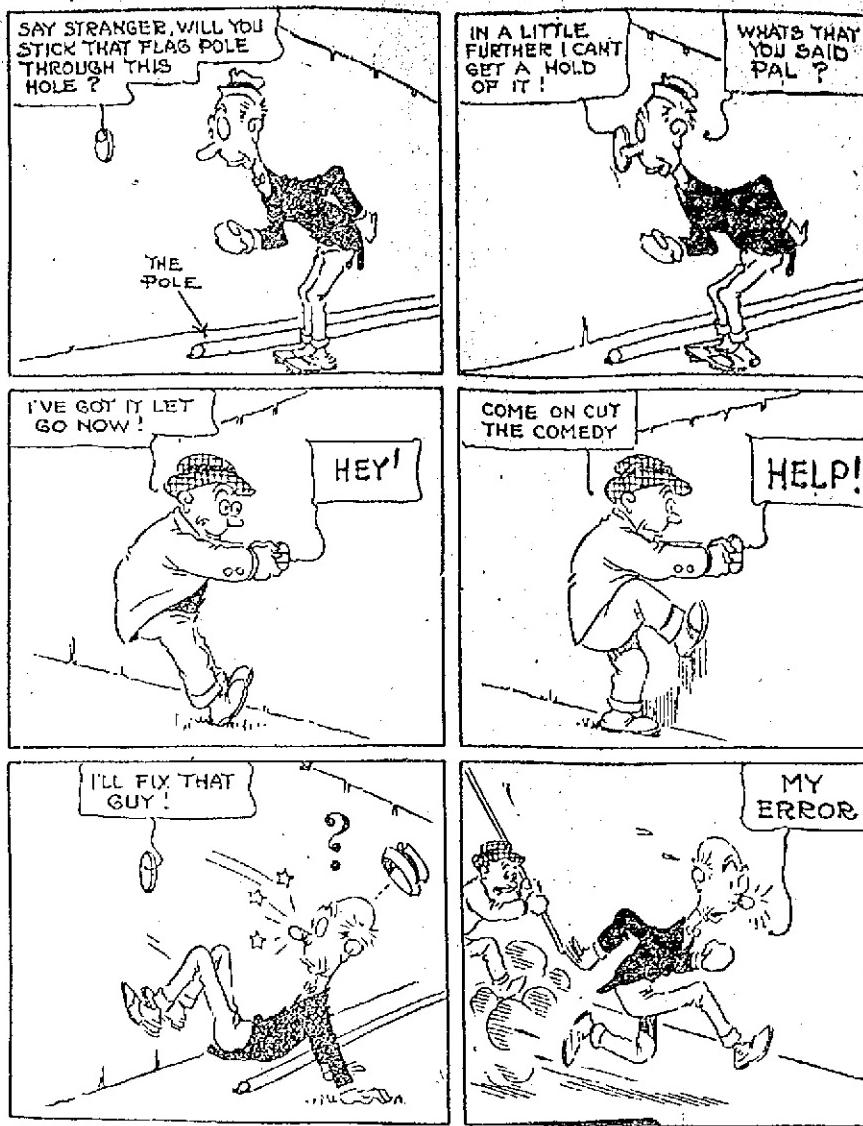
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AVIATOR FELL TO DEATH

French Military Officer
Dropped 350 Feet

PARIS, April 21.—Another officer of the French aviation military corps, Lieut. DeBlamont, was killed at the flying grounds at Villacoublay, just outside of Paris today. His monoplane turned turtle and he fell about 350 feet to the earth. He was picked up dead. DeBlamont obtained his pilot certificate only 11 days ago.

Card of Thanks

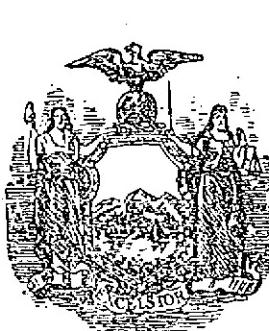
We extend our thanks to those who, by their moral offerings and consoling words helped to lighten our sorrow in the loss of our child and brother. (Signed)

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AS KING of PORTUGAL—EX-KING MANUEL

BERLIN, April 22.—A marriage has been arranged between Ex-King Manuel of Portugal and the Princess Augustina Victoria of Hohenzollern, the eldest daughter of Prince William of Hohenzollern, the head of the so-called older non-reigning princely branch of the house. The formal engagement took place at Sigmaringen castle, the home of the princess and her widowed father, at which the ex-king is now visiting. The princess, who is twenty-two years old, is one and one-half years Manuel's junior. Her family, which is not directly related to that of the Kaiser, is Roman Catholic. Her full name is Augustina Victoria Wilhelmina Antoinette Mathilde Ludwiga Josephine Maria Elizabeth. King Manuel draws a pension of \$2,300 a month from the republic of Portugal.

TWO VIEWS OF GEORGE RODEL, BOER WARRIOR, LATEST WHITE HOPE



NEW YORK, April 19.—Recent developments in the boxing game have been just one surprise after another.

HEIRS TO FORTUNE

The Barlow Family May Receive Slice of a Large Estate in Wimington, Iowa

According to rumors five Lowell people will share liberally in the settlement of the Springer estate in Wimington, Iowa, which is now being settled at the latter place. Its value is said to have been variously estimated at from several hundred thousand to several million dollars. The five Lowell claimants are ex-Senator Ervin B. Barlow, his two brothers, Irving and Eugene, and two sisters, Elizabeth and Mrs. Mrs. G. E. Fitzpatrick. The Lowell people do not confirm or deny the report, but they acknowledge that an effort is being made to bring about a settlement of the matters involved in the estate.

TEWKSBURY

At a recent meeting of the Tennis club of Tewksbury the following officers were elected: President, Frank Spaulding; treasurer, Frank Spaulding; vice president, Fred Dinsmore. An executive and a board committee were appointed and the court will probably be ready for use by May 1st.

Miss A. M. Allis of Salem spent the week-end with Miss Fortinall.

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plank, and his marvelous strength, combined with his stamina, gameness and a bruising, cutting punch in each mitt, makes him a dangerous opponent. He will defeat a good many more men than will beat him.

Worms in Children.

By Dr. True

If mothers only knew the tortures the little ones suffer from worms!

Thousands of children have stomach worms or pin worms and their parents do not know it. They doctor them for other ailments.

Signs of worms are:

Indigestion, with a variable appetite; abnormal craving for sweets; nausea and vomiting; swollen upper lip; sour tongue; offensive breath; hard and full belly with occasional griping and pains about the navel; face at one time flushed, then pale and in a few cases the face takes on a dull leaden hue. Eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids; itching of the nose; itching of the rectum; short, dry cough; grinding of the teeth; little red points sticking out on the tongue; starting during sleep; slow fever; pulse quickened and irregular; body may be hot; and often, in children, convulsions.

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HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Encouraging Reports by

Y. M. C. A. Officers

WOMEN AND GIRLS HAVE NOT ASKED FOR INSTRUCTIONS

In Swimming—Officers Who Served During the Past Year Were Re-elected

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held last night and the annual report of President Frank A. Bowen, together with other reports, was very encouraging. It was expected that the association would have before it a communication from the Y. W. C. A. relative to the use by women and girls, of the Y. M. C. A. swimming pool, but the communication was not in evidence and the physical committee took no action.

The annual report of the president was as follows:

In presenting to the directors my annual report as president of the Young

in which we were able to begin our work, we shall not be able to have all departments in full operation before next fall.

It is a great disappointment to your president, which he shares in common with the directors and friends of the association, that the committee having in charge the erection of the building, was not able to complete the structure with the amount that was contributed by the people of Lowell for the purpose.

About \$5,000 more will be needed before the building can be dedicated free of debt.

That this will be a great burden upon the directors who are to manage the affairs of the institution is very plainly to be seen. Unless this indebtedness can be raised, we shall be very seriously hampered in our work. Am pleased to state that a very determined effort is being made to raise the amount needed to wipe out the debt, which effort we trust will be eminently successful.

It is beyond question that we have one of the best planned and equipped buildings in the state and the work we can do for the boys and young men of Lowell should prove of the greatest value.

In order that our work may be effective and of permanent value, we solicit the assistance of all who realize the need of such an institution in our city as endowments, the interest on which

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department, submitted a report on the activities of the past year, all of which are well remembered.

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Twenty trained in the gymnasium for civil service examinations.

A total of 6500 took part in 189 activities.

The attendance at the swimming pool is estimated at about 6000. Baths taken during the year estimated 25,000.

Fifty leaders have assisted in making the gymnasium classes a success.

The largest number in gymnasium class at one time 1042.

Other interesting reports came from C. F. Fleming, chairman of the membership committee; A. E. French, chairman of the educational committee; Roland Black, on social life and activities; the boys' report by H. O. Brooks, and a report of the swimming campaign by A. J. Weke.

Old Officers Re-elected

All of the old officers elected for the ensuing year were present at the annual meeting, including F. A. Bowen, president; Samuel H. Thompson, vice-president; William G. White, clerk; Walter Hoyt, treasurer.

SWIM TO ARREST THIEF

Revere Police in Sensational Chase

BOSTON

April 22.—After a sensational chase last evening, with the Revere police wading through the Revere marshes and swimming Belle Isle creek, James Lyden, charged with the theft of two packages of copper wire, was captured, while a second man escaped.

Policemen Shanahan, Blackmar and Pearson, who participated in the chase, were covered with wet mud and wet to the skin when they brought Lyden, also dripping from his immersion in the creek, to the police station. Patrolman Ahern fared better. He had gone around the Orient Heights side of the marsh to head off the escaping man, who was forced back into the hands of the other officers when Ahern appeared before him with his revolver leveled.

The men were found stealing copper wire from a factory.

TWO WERE SHOT DOWN

Deadly Pistol Duel in Franklin, Ky.

FRANKLIN, KY.

April 22.—Two men are dead, one fatally wounded and three others more or less seriously hurt as the result of a pistol duel that occurred in the streets of this city. Judge John H. Goodnight, 36, and William Taylor, 43, were slain, while James Taylor, son of William, was fatally wounded.

It is said an altercation arose between young Taylor and Sheriff Gossett, following a street fair. The sheriff ordered young Taylor off the ground, but some time later Taylor, accompanied by his father, came back. The altercation was renewed and the elder Taylor and the sheriff opened fire with the result that William Taylor fell, pierced by six bullets. Young Taylor then opened fire with two automatic revolvers, but Gossett escaped uninjured. After the fight it was found that young Taylor had been shot and mortally wounded. Judge Goodnight had been hit by one of the stray bullets and died several hours later.

Vernon Witt, a horseman; John Lague, an insurance man, and Will Moore, a farmer, also were wounded by stray bullets. The city is quiet.

ON BARBERS' BILL

BEARING TOOK PLACE AT STATE HOUSE YESTERDAY

Several charges made including lengthening of Registration and Renewal Fees

A hearing on the barbers' bill was granted to P. J. Sheehan, representing the journeymen barbers and Henry Sterling of the state branch of the A. F. of L. by the ways and means committee at the state house yesterday morning. The bill has been redrafted, it seems, and the new draft provides a commission to comprise of a registered physician at \$10 per day and two practical barbers, each at \$5 per day, to examine and grant certificates to all practising barbers and to revoke the same in case they fail to provide clean service.

Until the passage of the act, every barber may obtain registration without this examination, but after the bill is passed, the new barbers must display a knowledge of the ordinary skin diseases before being granted the certificate. The fee for registration was \$2 and \$1 a year for renewal and has been cut to \$2.50 and \$1.50 respectively by the committee on public health.

The intention of these committees is to insure good service and to generally elevate the barbers profession.

The law is in vogue in some of the other states of the east and seems to be meeting with success and general approval.

Mr. Sheehan stated that in his estimation there are between 2000 and 1600 registered barbers in Massachusetts now practising.

There was no opposition and the hearing was closed.

Marie Rendy for Zbyszko

CHICAGO, April 22.—Constant Lee

Marin, the Belgian wrestler who to-

morrow night will meet Stanislaus Zbyszko

in a finish match was pronounced today

physically perfect by Martin Delaney,

athletic director of the Chicago Ath-

letic club, who has been training him.

The wrestlers announced last night

that they had finished training.

THE RATE OF INTEREST

To be Charged by Loan Agencies is Fixed

MUST NOT EXCEED THREE PER CENT PER MONTH

Circular Issued to Licensing Bodies By State Supervisor of Loan Agencies Brown

Mr. E. Gerry Brown, state supervisor of loan agencies, has issued a circular to all members, selection and licensing boards fixing the rate of interest to be charged by pawnbrokers.

The supervisor recommended an amendment to the law providing that the words "but the rate shall in no case exceed 3 per month" so that the section might read: "The supervisor shall establish the rate of interest to be collected, and on fixing said rate shall have due regard to the amount of the loan and the nature of the security and the time for which the loan is made; and no licensee or company or association to which this act applies, shall charge or receive upon any loan a greater rate of interest than that fixed by the supervisor."

The legislature referred the matter to the next general court. The supervisor now gives notice that no regulation relative to the business carried on and the rate of interest to be charged by the pawnbrokers will be to the satisfaction of the supervisor which carries any rate of interest in excess of 3% a month.

Mr. Brown issues for the guidance of the various licensing boards the following instructions:

On sums of 100 dollars or under, 3 per cent per month; on any fraction of the month, at the same rate.

On sums over 100 dollars 2 per cent per month; on any fraction thereof at the same rate.

A lender shall not be required to take less than 10 cents to discharge any loan made.

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THE TARIFF BATTLE

Now that the democratic cause of spring activity, will recompense you for your labors and you will have the gations without changing or amending the constitution of having aided in the present lack of making of Lowell a any material point of the new tariff bill, the real battle is about to begin. In its discussion in the house, those students of the situation of all shades of political belief, foretell its speedy passage. Even in the senate it is expected that the measure will be passed in practically its present form. During the course of two weeks of continuous debate, the Underwood program shaped by the president, prevailed in an overwhelming majority, and the unanimity with which the democratic party in the senate and house desired its adoption is one of the surest signs of its success.

Without doubt one of the strongest causes of the present security of the tariff bill and its confident outlook has been the personality of the president and the prestige of his administration. Had he showed any signs of wavering at any of the initial stages, or had he demonstrated that he was actuated by any but the most sincere motives, his action would be followed by a spirit of unfeathers in his party, but his steadfast and constant perseverance in following the plans as outlined at first did much to dispel the notion, fostered by some antagonistic interests, that the tariff reduction was unscientific and haphazard.

As the tariff battle now stands the Underwood bill has the almost positive assurance of the full democratic majority of the house and senate. Some of the progressive element of the republican party will probably support it in part, if not wholly. Although it must go through the routine processes of discussion, debate and argument, its passage without material change is already assured. Even the wool and sugar schedules which are among those most bitterly attacked, promise to become law without being radically changed from their present form.

Tariff revision now being at our doors, it remains for the business interests of the country to abandon their walls of discontent and empty prophecies of impending disaster and to prepare for the new conditions. Before it can be justly condemned, it must be fairly proved defective. Tariff revision is the strongly expressed wish of the people. It was the clearly defined issue in all the great recent political contests and it was strongly approved by the people of the entire country.

Should the proposed changes injure any industry or fail to reduce the cost of living there will be widespread disappointment but all the changes are more or less experimental and nobody can foretell correctly just what the result will be.

CLEAN YOUR WINDOWS

The cleaning of windows is one of the very essential phases of "spicetown" activity. It is gratifying, therefore, to find that one of the largest mills of the city whose walls rise from the public street, has started out to give good example by cleaning up its scores of windows which have been an eyesore for months because of their dusty condition. The rains and snows of winter, and the whirling dust storms of spring have left their traces on the clouded glass, and a general window cleaning campaign in the city would result in its looking brighter and more presentable.

In the better sections of Boston and other large cities a stranger is immediately impressed by the cleanliness of the windows of the stores and buildings. The same holds particularly true of Portland, Me., where a better spirit than we have met prevail among the citizens in this respect, at least, as one notices among his first impressions the shining windows of the store fronts and other public buildings. Because of this as well as its shaded site it deserves the description of Longfellow as "the beautiful town that is seated by the sea."

BRITISH TORIES DESPERATE

It looks as if the British suffragettes are being backed by the Tories in an effort to overthrow the ministry. The Tories have tried every scheme imaginable to overthrow the ministry, but they are also out to succeed in business. With the additional attraction of well armed merchandise they serve as a refreshing advertisement to the "hundreds" who walk the streets daily and screen the public exposed to view. The somewhat tragic tale of where they are immediately attracted to those windows that reflect the light and show signs of beauty and prosperity. What can be thought of a sterio-cast, and there are many such, where windows are dirty and made a mess, from the street even at night when the store is lighted?

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posed Lord Balfour as leader and took up Bonar Law as merely substituted a firebrand for a well trained, well balanced, astute leader and the only man in the party who could at an cope with the triumvirate made up of Premier Asquith, John E. Redmond and Lloyd George, three of the ablest parliamentary leaders in all Europe.

It does seem that in spite of every device treacherous, reasonable and otherwise, resorted to by the Tories, the present ministry will remain in power until it places the home rule bill upon the statute books.

HOUSBREAKING

Thanks to our capable police department and the enviable reputation the state has made in the ready detection and apprehension of thieves, Lowell has been comparatively free of late from the public terror and unrest that follows the visits of the housebreaker. Some individual instances have indeed been recorded, but nothing so serious as that which has just taken place in Arlington where defenseless people in houses widely different of location were shot down indiscriminately on the same night by a daring midnight intruder.

It will not do, however, for our people to be over-confident. Instances such as this ought to convince us of the great care we should take in the safeguarding of our homes and property. The man who forces a lock or breaks a window in the dead of night to enter your house, is prepared to commit murder in most instances if his designs are thwarted. Recognizing this fact, agencies have set to work in the past to increase the popularity of house-breaking. Some prominent police officials of the state declare themselves in favor of making the offence punishable by death, but that would be excessive except where murder has been actually committed.

In the middle ages those who possessed lands or wealth lived in castles which were surrounded by battlemented walls, turrets, moats, and drawbridges to protect them from foes from without. It is well said that "a man's home is his castle," and the midnight thief who invades the sanctity of that home does so deliberately, fully realizing that a man will defend his home with his life, and fully prepared to take the consequences. There is little sympathy for the robber who loses his life or who is permanently injured while trying to rob the home of any citizen, but all are aroused to feelings of sympathy by the affliction of those whose homes are turned into houses of mourning by the dangerous midnight housebreaker.

THE PADRON SYSTEM

The ranks of seven employees of the American tube works of Somerville yesterday for the offense of taking money from persons seeking employment, is a prompt and firm compliance with the new state laws which make it punishable legally. The ready compliance with the terms of the new law is generally commendable as it strikes at the roots of a most pernicious and reprehensible abuse.

This taking of money is a form of the padrone system which is natural to the man who is employed under it, who thus becomes the victim of extortion, unfair to the principles of labor in general, unfair to the employer whose best interests are thus told to be of secondary consideration and unfair to the character of American justice. It is a system, the dangers of which has been shown in many recent strikes, as the victim of the padrone system has been fairly started by its means in the belief that America is governed by might rather than right. Today it is padrone, tomorrow it is salaried.

Whenever there are violations of the new law which strives to eliminate the evil, the recent example of the Somerville authorities might well be followed. The padrone system is not indigenous to America and should not be permitted to thrive here. Such a foul weed is not worthy to grow on our soil and it must be rooted up by the spade of prompt punishment as in the Somerville case.

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IN LOWELL

And Furnished By the Help of
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Those who suffer with kidney backache, urinary ills or any little kidney or bladder disorder, want kidney help. Who can better advise than some Lowell resident, who has also suffered, but has had relief. Lowell people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Here's one case and there are many others.

Samuel Clark, 436 Worthen St., Lowell, Mass., says: "For over six years I have enjoyed freedom from kidney trouble, thanks to Doan's Kidney Pills. The pains through my back were almost unbearable and on one occasion I was laid up for two weeks. The doctor's medicine did not help me and I was led to begin using Doan's Kidney Pills. In a few days after I began taking them, I was able to return to work and three boxes cured me."

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Remember the name—Doan's—and no other.

The consensus of opinion of those present that the musical song revue, which will be presented by the Bachelor Girls next Thursday evening in Associate hall will be the most brilliant affair conducted by the troupe. The added features to this entertainment will be the novelty "Summer Girls," filled in number. This will be the first feature that will present itself to the audience, and four of the young ladies dressed as boys will do a novel dance with their partners, four in number, assisted by a soloist.

The second feature will be that of the Scotch Lassies dressed in neat fitting kilts doing the native dances of Scotland, and will also be assisted by a soloist.

The third added feature on the program will be the Irish Lads and their Colleens doing the famous breakdown and other dances dear to old Ireland.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

Lowell Opera House

White feather woman for Sir Herbert Tree, His Majesty's Theatre, London, Constance Collier, who will portray the leading role in the new play, "Frisco Sal," at the Opera House, Friday and Saturday, April 25-26, appeared at six "rehearsal" performances and one "open" evening. The German emperor and the "gala" event was during the coronation celebration for King George and Queen Mary. Seats are now on sale.

"BARBER OF SEVILLE"

Those who have so loyally supported the movement to bring the best in music to their city will be gratified to learn that "The Barber" as presented by the Boston Opera Co., stars at the Opera House, April 26th, is a forerunner of operas just as due for next year.

It is as popular an opera as could be

fun with the Messengers," as given by the Seven Dwarfs.

It is a good act, it is repeated with

variety of music, clean fun and good dancing. All members of the troupe are clever and their efforts were well appreciated at the opening performance.

"The Girl in the Pink Kimono," as played by the Fernie-Bedell company, is another piece that made a decided hit last night. It's an act that keeps the audience on edge, wondering what's coming next and holds the attention of all throughout. It's good.

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What this is, however, should not be stated at this time and will not, for no one enjoys a show when he knows "just what's going to happen next." At the Playhouse last evening the large audience which was held spellbound by its magnetic influence was gratified to the appreciation by their prolonged applause at the conclusion of each act.

As Hamlet was made to say, some three hundred years ago: "There are more things in heaven and earth, Horatio, than are dreamt of in your philosophy." And today the same "things" perplex the minds of all thinking men and women, "things" that seem to defy the power of puny man in his quest for a cause, things that probably will never be fully understood. Yet one likes to puzzle the brain in seeking to discover some cause for the undoubted fact that there is such a "thing" as mental telepathy and while man, and woman, remain inquisitive, such things will never cease to attract interest to them and such plays as "The Witching Hour" will always enlist his eager and sympathetic attention.

The work of the Drama Players in interpreting this noted play, presented by Mr. J. Arthur Smythe in the character of "Jack Brookfield," the square gambler, invested this role with artistic force; Mr. Bosworth as "Judge Prentiss," the second role of importance, was extremely clever in his performance and well received. Dr. Carroll and Mr. Carr were through their parts with all the art for which they have so often been complimented. Miss Mann as "Mrs. Helen Whipple," a former sweetheart of "Brookfield" as is charmingly set forth in the title of the play, was equally well received.

This is the last week of the Drama Players.

Merrimack Square Theatre

The Merrimack Square theatre was yesterday afternoon and evening the scene of large gatherings. There was a reason for the newspaper had advertised one of the best plays ever produced at this popular house, and he it sold at the outset that no one who placed his confidence in the advertisements was disappointed for the entire program is excellent.

The best play of all is the charming sketch entitled "By the Banks of Loch Leamond," rendered in a very appreciable way by the Temple Players. The staging of this play is very artistic and the offering is one sure to appeal to lovers of good music and fast dancing. The musical numbers are excellent and a rare appreciation of the sketch was

found in their repertoire, and local music lovers will be singularly fortunate in hearing singers, who with but one exception have not been the stars selected to sing the same roles in the Boston opera house.

The exception is Mine, Evelyn Scatney, who has not before sung the role of Rosina, but those who were so entranced by her marvelous coloratura voice will be pleased to note that she has now made a specialty of the soprano role. Her concert numbers, surely, have no fear as to a perfect presentation of the new part, which provides ample opportunity for her to display her artistry.

"Of course, the role of Figaro—the Barker,—and the name of Mr. Beddoe Farnham, is always connected in a public comment. No artist in any opera has become any more famous than has M. Farnham in this, his humorous interpretation of this unique role has made him favorite in many opera houses. So far as I know, this part has never been sung before have had their presentation of the opera coincide with his visit to their city during the summer. He is now under contract to sing the role over twenty times this summer.

When he was here before, it will be remembered, he sang the "Tango" aria from the same opera with marked success.

M. Jose Mardones is of course the Don Basilio. In this, the great basso basso, will show his truly wonderful voice to great advantage. Seats for the engagement are now on sale.

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shown by the many encores called for by the many spectators at both performances. This is the last week of the Temple Players in this city, for some time at least, and it is certain that the manager, Mr. Farnham, will give them a last visit before they complete their engagement.

Another interesting piece in the one-act dramatic playlet, "A Man's Honor," is given by Miss G. Young, and her two assistants, Misses Gandy and Farnham. The sketch deals with a young man who is about to close with the wife of his old friend, but who at the last moment abandons all plans on account of his honor being at stake. The piece is cleverly played and well with the result that Miss Young, as usual, appears in one of her bright gowns, while her playing is superb.

If you want to enjoy a few minutes of real fun do not fail to hear Jack Farrell, booked as "The Fashion Plate Monologist," for he supplies his listeners with a variety of witty talk which is even better than advertising. His stories are good and his singing is above the average.

Flinley & Burke, two other comedians, excel in a piece entitled "Fifteen Minutes of Frivolity." They are a real humorists and with them it is a case of laugh from curtain rise to curtain fall.

George Davis sings the latest illustrated songs and the photo-plays for the last three days are the very rarest selections from the best manufacturers of the country. "The Land Squires," a three act comedy, and "The Girl in the Pink Kimono," as played by the Fernie-Bedell company, are good pieces that made a decided hit last night. It's an act that keeps the audience on edge, wondering what's coming next and holds the attention of all throughout. It's good.

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REPEAL OF BAR AND BOTTLE BILL

Killed in House by Vote of 120 to 105—Teachers' Tenure Bill Was Amended

BOSTON, April 22.—The bill proposed because it carries a referendum to the voting for local option in the matter people. Bigelow of Framingham took of the Bar and Bottle act of 1910 was the opposite view, stating that no defeated in the house yesterday, 120 to 105, one of the largest votes of the member who has a regard for his year. The size of the vote for the bill will surrender to the people at large his opportunity to protect it by defeating this bill.

Abbott of Haverhill argued that the bill does not repeal the present law and endears a majority of the people in each license city and town are opposed to the first item on the calendar.

Representative Hayes of Medford opened debate against the bill, stating that the law operated greatly to reduce the number of arrests by nearly 1000 a year. He said all except those who are directly connected with the liquor business have observed that the law has improved conditions, and contended that there is no demand for us to repeat except from those who are connected with the business.

John J. Murphy of Boston, favoring the bill, took exception to a circular sent out by the Anti-Saloon league, in which the Boston Licensing board was quoted as favoring a retention of the present law. He read a report from the board stating that it was convinced that the law has worked to increase the sale of liquor to be consumed in the home. Be admitted that the number of arrests for drunkenness has decreased, but denied that the Bar and Bottle law is responsible for the improved condition.

Calls Present Law Foolish

Representative Wood of Gardner said the Bar and Bottle law has helped to regulate the abuse of liquor; if it is a fact, as the liquor dealers claim that the law has increased the sale of bottled goods, the liquor dealers would be the last to ask for its recall. One of Boston's prominent social workers told the committee, he said, that in many places she had found that the amount of liquor consumed in the home had materially decreased, and he thought the testimony of such a woman should have great weight. Burdick of Adams favored the bill.

Representative Bliss of Malden offered an amendment providing that the act shall take effect in each city and town upon its acceptance by the voters thereof. To this amendment, Representative Wood offered another, to them.

make it take effect upon its acceptance by the school committee in each city and town.

Representative Beck of Chelsea opposed the Wood amendment, contending that the house might just as well kill the bill as adopt this amendment. His view prevailed and the amendment was rejected on a voice vote, after which the Bliss amendment was adopted, 49 to 25. The bill was then passed to be engrossed and sent to the senate.

Grade Crossing Bill

Representative Prime of Winchester offered to the bill to relieve towns and cities of any portion of the cost of abolishing grade crossings, unless they petition for such abolition, an amendment to make the bill apply to all future payments under petitions for the abolition of grade crossings pending in court at the time when the act takes effect. He said his town had had a petition pending in the courts for eight years, and he thought it unfair that such a town should be required to pay 10 per cent. of the cost while some other town where the crossings are abolished shortly after the act takes effect will be relieved.

Representative Barnes of Mansfield opposed this amendment as unconstitutional, and Representative Washburn of Worcester objected to it as inequitable. The latter offered an amendment providing that all cities and towns which have hitherto contributed to the cost of abolishing grade crossings shall be reimbursed for their expenditures.

Mr. Barnes raised a point of order that both amendments were beyond the scope of the petition, the chair ruling that the prime amendment was within the scope of the petition and reserving his decision as to the Washburn amendment. The matter was then postponed until today.

Greenwood Breaks Tie

The state senate yesterday amended the bill relative to industrial controversies. As originally reported this bill provides that five employees of any concern might compel the state board of conciliation and arbitration to investigate and report on any labor controversy.

Amendments were offered by Senator Blanchard of Somerville to provide that the state board need not make any investigation unless the petition for such inquiry was signed by five of every 25 persons employed by the concern involved, and that then it would be in the discretion of the state board to make an investigation and report.

The entire bill was very much involved, but the Blanchard amendments were adopted 15 to 16, Pres. Greenwood casting the deciding vote in favor of this week and \$1 a week in the future.

WHO OWNS THE BEACH? MISSION AT ST. PETER'S

Salisbury Lessees Now Very Strong Sermon on in a Quandary

BEACH ASSOCIATES CLAIM REVENGE LAW ILLEGAL

The Decision As To Constitutionality of the Law Pending Before Supreme Court

NEWBURYPORT: April 22.—Hundreds of people who for a decade have composed the summer colony of Salisbury Beach are just now in a quandary as to whom they shall pay for the use of the land on which their cottages are located.

At present there are two distinct bodies claiming the right to collect this revenue—the Salisbury Beach Reservation Commission appointed by the state of Massachusetts and the Salisbury Beach Associates. The latter is an organization claiming a clear title to the entire beach.

Wednesday of this week, is the date set by the reservation committee on which they will take active possession of the property at the beach. Almost simultaneously with the announcement of the commission comes that of the other organization in a communication to all of the cottage owners regarding their rent, which falls due the first week of May. The communication warns them to pay Walter Coulson, treasurer of the Salisbury Beach Associates, or they will lose their rights.

While this activity is being pushed ahead from both sides, the question of who is the real holder of the title is pending in the courts. The commission seized a portion of the beach last year and recently made another seizure, taking all the land from the Merrimack river along the Atlantic coast to the New Hampshire state line. The strip of land is seven miles long and half a mile wide. The associates in the case now before the court claim that the act creating the state reservation is unconstitutional.

Walter Guilty of Non-Support BOSTON, April 22.—The Rev. Arthur Whitaker, a retired Baptist clergyman and president of the Welfare Union, was found guilty of non-support by Judge Luce in the Waltham court yesterday and ordered to pay his wife \$14

Mortal Sin

UNCERTAINTY OF LIFE MOTIVE FOR REPENTANCE

Important Sermon Promised Tonight, Beginning at 7:30—Large Attendance

"Mortal Sin" was the subject of the sermon at the mission for single men at St. Peter's church last night by Rev. Fr. Gunning, following the preliminary instructions and recitation of the rosary at which Rev. Fr. O'Leary officiated. The sermon was the second in the course followed by the Redemptorist missionary fathers, the first being on the importance of the soul's salvation. Last evening mortal sin was discussed in a most eloquent and thoughtful discourse as the hindrance to salvation and the disease which causes the failure of the soul to attain God, the last end.

The preacher emphasized the horror of mortal sin and illustrated his words with stories and examples. The soul in mortal sin, he said, is very near to damnation and all that is needed to send it to everlasting torment in hell away from the sight of God is a sudden death. When one stops and takes time to consider the unspeakable danger of being in a state of mortal sin and at the same time considers the absolute certainty of death together with the dread uncertainty as to the place and manner of death, truly he would realize the importance of being in a state of grace throughout one's whole life. Such is the awfulness of mortal sin and God's hatred of it. Knowing this, man should make use of the means afforded by the church for keeping his soul free from the contamination of the devil and thus eliminate the danger of losing God and happiness with Him in heaven.

As the greatest example of the attitude of God toward mortal sin, the preacher pictured the death of Christ, the saviour of mankind, upon the cross crucified by the sins of the world. Every time we commit mortal sin we virtually crucify God, murder Him, as did the Jews centuries ago.

There was a very large congregation at the services last evening. The preliminary instructions were a description of the significance of the rosary and the prayers which accompany its recitation. The priest explained the sorrowful, joyful and glorious mysteries, the origin of the prayers and the importance of the rosary, which embodies all the mysteries of man's redemption. Rev. Fr. O'Leary announced that this evening the most important sermon of the entire week will be preached and urged every man to be present and seated at half-past seven, and according to the words of Rev. Fr. O'Leary, it is one which the men cannot afford to miss. The mission masses at 5 and 8 o'clock are very largely attended and the Redemptorist Fathers at St. Peter's express themselves as highly pleased with the spirit shown by the men.

CHELMSFORD

Mrs. Mary M. G. Monroe celebrated her 80th birthday at her home in Chelmsford Center last Saturday, and the occasion will long be remembered by those who attended.

Relatives and friends gathered at her home throughout the day and Mrs. Monroe was the recipient of many beautiful gifts, among them being a large birthday cake with initials M. M. G. and dates 1833 to 1913, and a mission bookcase.

Among those present were nearest and dearest were: Two daughters, Mrs. D. W. Seaver of West Tewksbury and Miss Daisy Sirena Monroe of Boston; Mrs. George Seaver, Mrs. Alfred Dixon of Lowell, who was present with her own little daughter, Cora May, aged three and one-half years, completed four generations.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The Mathew Temperance Institute has appointed a committee of ten to make arrangements for an "Old Time Memorial" which will be held in the near future. The M. T. I. Bachelor Girls are zealously preparing their musical song revue, which has fair to be one of the best ever. Miss Elanche Perrin is training them in the dances and the musical director is Mr. William Gilmore.

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Molly Vanuam Chapter

Molly Vanuam Chapter, D. A. R. observed Patriots Day with a meeting and entertainment at the Spalding house. There were several interesting addresses and a pleasing program of musical selections and recitations. The affair closed with the singing of patriotic hymns.

Lawrence K. of C. Dance

If you want to enjoy yourself thoroughly and mix with a crowd of pleasant-seeking people in a way that will make you regret the end of the evening's entertainment, don't fail to attend the dance to be conducted at Stanley's on the Merrimack tomorrow evening by the members of the Lawrence council.

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Afternoon and Night.
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Astonishing Statements at Interstate Commerce Hearing

BOSTON, April 22.—Profits amounting to more than \$170,000 were made by President Charles S. Mellen of the New York, New Haven & Hartford by purchasing New Haven stock and selling it at a profit, some of it to concerns for which he was himself president. The M. T. I. Bachelor Girls are zealously preparing their musical song revue, which has fair to be one of the best ever. Miss Elanche Perrin is training them in the dances and the musical director is Mr. William Gilmore.

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6 ROOM COTTAGE IN GOOD REPAIR, with gas, wood yard; 2 dollars a week. Key next door. Rent \$2.25 per week.

TWO DOWNSTAIRS TENEMENTS to let; 4 and 3 rooms; at 154 South st. Inquire on premises; rent reasonable.

TENEMENT OF FIVE ROOMS TO let. In Pawtucketville, near bridge.

LARGE yard. Inquire \$2. Varnum ave.

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shop or business office, to let, on sec-

ond floor of the Harrington building.

Central st.

DOWNTOWN FLAT FIVE ROOMS to let; with pantry, steam heat, furnace heat, set tubs, cemented cellar; on Highland st. at 237 Liberty st. Inquire 241 Liberty st.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, ALSO

rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 347 Central st.

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for light manufacturing or paint shop, to let; at 238 Thorndike st. Inquire

13 Lane st.

FRONT FURNISHED ROOM TO LET;

gas not air cold water; use of tele-

phones; rent \$2. Apply 124 Appo-

nit st.

CHEAP RENT—SIX NEW FLATS

55 Elm st. \$6 month. Large 6-room

flat; 43 Prospect st. \$8 month; flat

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flats at 145 Elm st. 5 rooms each; all

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house to let; plenty of boarders;

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Inquire Eustache Christman, 164 Wo-

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52 Central Street

Splendid rooms on the second floor, suitable for Physician, Dentist, Tailor, Barber, Dressmaker or Real Estate dealer. Also offices on the third floor. Rent reasonable. Apply to D. J. Harrington, New Sun Building, or at The Sun Office.

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Desirable Offices in Traders' Bank Building,

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TO LET

Good tenement, 8 rooms, steam heat, cor. School and Liberty Sts. Inquire John E. Foster, 741 Andover St.

DR. FRIEDMANN UPHELD

Boston Patient Shows
Marked Improvement

BOSTON, April 22.—Samuel Taler of 16 Browning avenue, Dorchester, the first Boston man to be inoculated with the turtle culture of Dr. Friedmann, Franz Friedmann at his Providence clinics declared yesterday that he had improved 100 per cent. since the treatment and is now certain he will entirely recover from the dreaded great white plague.

Never Felt Better

"The turtle is working gloriously," said Mr. Taler with great enthusiasm. "During the past eight days I have never felt better in my life."

I feel alive. The pain at the top of my left lung, which I constantly suffered from, has entirely stopped. So have my night sweats. It makes me pretty sore to hear of these physicians all over the country doubting Dr. Friedmann.

The fact that my pain has stopped and that I am feeling fine is one whole lot better to me than the opinion of 10,000 physicians.

IMPORTANT CASE

TRIED IN PHILADELPHIA INTER-
ESTS LOWELL MEN

Alleged Adulteration of Dye Stuffs Involved—Lowell Mill Men Present at the Trial

Lowell mills are concerned and Lowell mill men interested in a suit which was tried in Philadelphia, where a hosiery company was upheld by a jury in refusing to pay the plaintiff, a dye importing company, for a balance due on purchases of dye stuffs.

Lowell men were present at the trial, some of them having been subpoenaed and others attending out of curiosity. The plaintiff has filed a motion to the court for a new trial.

Despite the fact that the suit involved but a small amount of money it is very important inasmuch as it may be followed by a number of other suits of greater magnitude.

A Lowell mill man has stated that practically every mill in New England would find that the prosecution would bear directly upon their interests.

The Philadelphia suit was that of Max E. Karsche, trading as F. Brent & Co., vs. the Standard Hosiery Dying and Finishing Works, and was tried before Judge Robert N. Wilson in the court of common pleas. Both of the litigants are Philadelphia concerns. The suit was an action brought by the dye importing house, to recover from the hosiery company a balance claimed to be due the plaintiff for dye stuffs sold and furnished to the defendant on a regular account between the

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SIX ROOM FLAT TO LET; ALL modern conveniences. Inquire at 116 Main Washington st. Tel. 1168.

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FRONT ROOM TO LET; GAS, HOT

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124 Appleton st.

FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED

rooms to let; steam heat; use of tele-

phones; on two car lines. 282 West-

ford st.

UPSTAIRS TENEMENT OF SIX

rooms with gas, 10; let; toilet on same

floor; rent \$9. Inquire 37 Smith st.

Tel. 2919-N.

HANCOCK LITTLE TENEMENT TO

let; 7 Bartlett st.

NEW MODERN TENEMENT OF SIX

rooms to let; pantry and bath; soap

stone sink and set tubs; coal and wood

shed on the same flight; \$16. Tel. 711

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FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED

rooms to let; steam heat; telephone,

etc. Apply 126 Winslow & Co.

UPSTAIRS TENEMENT OF FIVE

rooms to let; at 54 Gates st.; has bath,

shrub and barn.

FOUR ROOM TENEMENT TO LET;

newly painted and papered, near mills

and depot; at 365 Middlesex st.; rent

\$225 week; also for \$150.

Address A. Stein, 365 Middlesex st.

SIX ROOM TENEMENT TO LET;

in Pawtucketville, near both

tubs and open plumbing. Served

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CHANGE for city property, located near

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Oakland; all latest improvements, at

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NEAT HOUSEKEEPERS CAN FIND

very clean, pleasant 4-room tenements

in best possible condition; good elec-

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Apply Boston Wholesale Millinery

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CARD STRIPPERS

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Apply Beaver Brook Mills,

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TIME ENOUGH TO THINK

ABOUT IT.

"What would you do if you lived to

be 200 years old?"

"I don't know yet."

Jury spent just ten minutes con-

sidering the case and then brought in

a verdict for the defendant company.

STATE CENTRAL CLUB

Part of Reorganization Plan of the

Democratic State Committee—Gating at Canobie

The formation of a state central club by the democratic state committee is one of the phases of reorganization work which will be discussed at a meeting of the state committee, called by Chairman Thomas F. Riley for Thursday at the Boston city club.

Comprehensive plans for a statewide

organization include the increasing of

membership in the local city and town

organizations by the establishment of

Wilson clubs under a uniform charter,

a thorough organization of the demo-

cratic members of the legislature, past

and present, and the publication of

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ESTABLISHED 1878

BELGIAN STRIKE SETTLED TODAY

General Walk-Out for Manhood Suffrage Was Concluded

This Ends the Political Strike of Half Million Workers

Soldiers Guarding Railroad Station Were Fired Upon

Strike at St. Lambert Brought to an End Today

BRUSSELS, Belgium, April 22.—The general strike of Belgian workmen for manhood suffrage, which started ten days ago, has been brought to a conclusion favorable to the workmen, nearly half a million of whom laid down their tools to enforce their demand for equal suffrage.

The leaders of the socialist trades unions and their followers have gained their first point, which was to make the government take into consideration a change in the Belgian parliamentary franchise hitherto to their disadvantage at the polls, owing to its system of plural votes for the wealthier and more highly educated classes.

At the last return, 335,070 men possessed one vote, 355,886 two votes and 305,683 three votes, so that the single votes were always overwhelmed.

This is the first occasion on record in which a political strike has resulted in victory for the strikers, and the whole movement has been notable for the energy and determination displayed and for the excellent control shown by the men, who have entirely refrained from violence. They have not yet attained their full demand but the socialist leaders express certainty that the consideration of their claims will result in the franchise being made equal for all.

When the chamber of deputies met this afternoon there was a tense feeling of expectancy. The conciliatory motion of E. Masson, the liberal leader, was taken up immediately.

Deputy Lilebart, clerical, proposed an additional clause, reading: "The chamber disapproves and condemns the general strike."

Premier De Broqueville accepted the motion as amended and asked the other members of his party not to suggest any changes.

The socialist leader, Emile Vandervelde, said today: "We deplore the left support M. Masson's motion for a compromise. It remains for us to convolve a socialist congress, which alone has the power to decide whether the strike shall end or not; we have the conviction that the adoption of the motion would be a step in advance."

The first part of the motion was then adopted unanimously by the chamber.

STRIKE AT ST. LAMBERT WAS BROUGHT TO AN END BY RE-TURN OF ALL WORKERS

ST. LAMBERT, Belgium, April 22.—The strike was brought to an end here this morning by the return of all the workers to the glass factories, which are the most important in Belgium.

SOLDIERS GUARDING RAILROAD STATION WERE FIRED AT FIVE TIMES

BRUXELLES-LE-COMTE, Belgium, April 22.—Soldiers guarding a railroad bridge near here were fired at five times from a long range during the night but none of them was hit. It is not known whether the outrage was committed by strikers or other persons.

OFFICIAL DENIAL OF DISTORTED REPORTS PUBLISHED IN ENGLAND

ANTWERP, Belgium, April 22.—The governor of the province of Antwerp said today that the port had been injured more by exaggerations of the effect of the strike published abroad than by the strike itself. He requested the British consul general to issue an official denial of the distorted reports published in England.

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LIQUOR LICENSES GRANTED TODAY

License Commissioners Granted 62 First Class Licenses at Meeting This Morning

The license commissioners met at their rooms at the police station on Market street this morning at 10 o'clock and spent two hours in strenuous session over the problem of granting the liquor licenses for the ensuing year. All three members of the board, John J. Mullane, Charles H. Hanson and Thomas P. Bourger, were in attendance at the meeting and although the business was transacted without unnecessary delays, the list of first class licenses was all that the board could agree upon during the forenoon. After granting 62 first class licenses the board adjourned its meeting until 2:30.

The Afternoon Session

At the afternoon session of the board the applications of Richard F. Murphy, Alena B. Murphy & Co., 539-601 Broadway, was added to the list of first class common vintuallers' licenses that were granted this morning, making the total number of these licenses 63 as against 64 last year. There were only 63 applications before the board this year, all of them holding licenses at the present time. The application of Mary A. Clark, Joseph M. Clark, J. H. Clark & Co., 16 South street, was for a fourth class license this year instead of the

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CHARGES AGAINST SCOTT I. W. W. MEN THWARTED

Will be Investigated—City Hall Notes

John W. Scott, Lowell's sealer of weights and measures, was expected to arrive in Lowell this evening. Commissioner Cummings received a telegram to that effect this forenoon. Mr. Cummings said, today, that the charges made against Mr. Scott by the state inspector would be investigated. Mr. Scott is charged with failing to cooperate with the state inspectors in the work connected with his office.

Capt. F. H. Appleton of the Ancient and Honorable was a visitor at Mayor O'Donnell's office today. Capt. Appleton is treasurer of the Patterson Rubber Co.

Mayor O'Donnell will present the diplomas at the graduating exercises of the Evening Textile school tomorrow evening.

Three of the American Car Co.'s sprinklers and all of the old horse-drawn sprinklers were in operation today.

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UNDER STATE CONTROL

Massachusetts Voluntary Associations of Capital, Organized as Holding Companies, Affected by Executive Act

BOSTON, April 22.—So-called voluntary associations of capital which have been organized in this state as holding companies for smaller public service corporations were placed under state control today through the signing of an executive act by Gov. Foss.

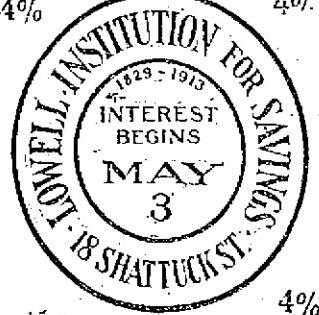
Voluntary organizations have here-to-been except from taxation from filing returns to state authorities and have not been amenable to orders by state commissioners.

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E. F. SAUNDERS FIRE CHIEF

Elected to Succeed Chief Edward S. Hosmer, Resigned

Ex-Chief Placed on Retired List With Pension of \$1200 a Year

The New Chief Was One of the District Chiefs of Department

Four Members of Municipal Council Voted For Saunders

The members of the municipal council held a meeting this afternoon. All were present and Mayor O'Donnell presided. The meeting was called at 2 o'clock and the principal matter to come before the council was the elec-



CHIEF EDWARD F. SAUNDERS

tion of a fire chief to succeed Edward S. Hosmer, who was retired on pension.

District Chief Edward F. Saunders was chosen as Chief Hosmer's successor, receiving four votes. Commissioner Brown voting for Capt. Joseph D'Amour of Truck 4.

It was also voted to place Capt. Hosmer on the pension list beginning May 1, with an annuity of \$1,200, the vote being unanimous. The pay of the retiring chief will hereafter come out of the regular appropriation of the fire department.

Previous to the election Commissioner Cummings announced that Capt. Crowley, who had been mentioned as a candidate for the position of chief, was out of the contest, while Commissioner Barrett declared that District Chief Sullivan had also withdrawn from the fight.

Fire Chief's Salary

Alderman Barrett moved that the fire chief's salary be reduced from \$2,200 to \$2,000, but Mayor O'Donnell called attention to the fact that the ordinance fixing the salary could not be changed to become operative within one year.

It seemed to be the general impression prevailing at city hall that Capt. Crowley would be appointed to succeed District Chief Saunders.

Other Business

Commissioner Donnelly's order to borrow \$10,000 for new sidewalk paving, voted in 1912, was also assigned for a hearing in the matter was May 5.

An order to borrow \$9,000 for the completion of the unfinished granite block paving, voted in 1912, was also assigned for a hearing on May 6.

An order for a sewer in Lawrence, Easton, Dayton and Hampstead streets was adopted. The order called for \$7,200.

Harvey B. Greene was given leave to withdraw on his petition for edgewise and cinder in front of his premises in Fine street.

R. J. Curtis' petition for a barber shop in Central street was adopted.

MAXIMUM R. R. RATES

New Hampshire House of Representatives Passed a Compromise Bill Authorizing a New Schedule

CONCORD, N. H., April 22.—The house of representatives today passed a compromise bill authorizing the public service commission to propose a new schedule of maximum railroad rates for trial by the railroads from Jan. 1 to October 1, 1914. At the latter date the railroad must accept or reject the new schedule as its permanent rates. If it rejects it the rates established by statute of 1893, now temporarily suspended, go into effect.

GENERAL CLEAN UP THROUGHOUT CITY

Tour of the Worst Streets Shows Great Improvement—Gangs of Men at Work

Last week Mayor James E. O'Donnell issued a proclamation asking the residents of this city to cooperate with the employees of the street department and board of health in a general cleaning-up of the city, the said cleaning-up to take place this week. The request of the mayor was received very favorably in every part of the city, and already there have been great transformations in certain districts.

By the end of the week if there is no drop in the enthusiasm now prevail-

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REPAIR CONCRETE WALK TROUBLE AT MILFORD

Men at Work in Tower's Corner Today

Strikers and Police Clash Again

MILFORD, April 22.—Trouble between the strikers of the Draper company at Hopkinton and the authorities in this town broke out afresh today, when many employees living here claimed that they had been held up on their way to the mills and appealed for police protection. There were several clashes between the strikers and the police but no arrests were made.

A parade of a small body of strikers headed by John M. Coldwell was made to Hopkinton before six o'clock. Several other bands paraded through Milford streets. Police hurried to the scene while big auto trucks trundled over from Hopkinton and carried the workers to the mills there.

A part of the loss was sustained because of the unwillingness of officials of the company to have these strikers turn into the hands of competitors, according to evidence introduced by David E. Brown, a government accountant at the continuation of the hearing before Interstate Commerce Commission Prouty, today. The commission is inquiring into the financial operations, rates, services and policies of the New Haven system.

Mr. Brown who testified yesterday regarding his examination of the books of the New Haven and its subsidiary companies told today under examination by Louis D. Brandeis representing the Boston Fruit & Produce Exchange, of the history of the steamer Rhode Island and Connecticut, formerly operated by the New England Navigation Co.

The original cost of the Rhode Island in 1882 was \$737,000 and the Connecticut was built seven years later at a cost of \$672,000, both vessels being constructed for the old Providence & Stonington Co.

These steamers were acquired by the New England Navigation Co. which turned them over, in 1906, to the United States Transportation Co., another New Haven subsidiary, for \$564,000. Two years later they were again turned back to the navigation company for \$632,000. Mr. Brown said that he could not state why they were repurchased at an advanced price.

In 1910 the Rhode Island was broken up and \$9000 was realized from the material in her. The next year the Connecticut was "scrapped," the hulls were salvaged and placed in another craft at an estimated profit of \$25,500 and \$5,500 was received from the material in her, a total of \$44,000 received from the two steamers.

Mr. Brown read a letter addressed by H. O. Nickerson, manager of the navigation company to Vice President Cochesperger of the New Haven road dated May 16, 1910, in which the writer said:

The Connecticut I do not believe will ever be used again. \$150,000 may be obtained for her if sold, but Mr. Nickerson has notified me he thinks she should be broken up. The Rhode Island stands the same as the Connecticut. The reason the above price is set is because we do not want them to fall into the hands of anybody who would use them in competition with ourselves."

In resuming his examination of Mr. Brown, Mr. Brandeis dwelt at length on the navigation company's book-keeping entries for depreciation of steamships. Mr. Brown testified that in two years ending June 31, 1910, no charge for depreciation was made direct to the income although it might have been charged to maintenance.

Other questions brought from Mr. Brown the statement that four per cent was the ordinary annual charge for depreciation in about all steamship companies, this being based on the assumption that 25 years is the life of a steamship. The figure appeared on the books as \$125,000. Referring to the four per cent rate, he said this would represent the depreciation of ships.

If the four per cent rule had been applied to the navigation company's steamers for the past five years, he said, would have been about \$2,300,000.

Mellen Attacks Accountant

BOSTON, April 22.—President Mellen of the New Haven system in a statement given out at the offices of the company this afternoon attacks the attitude of the accountants of the inter-state commerce commission, who, he says, never made the slightest inquiry of him during their five months' investigation of the New Haven's books. He indignantly repels the insinuations that "he profited personally eight or nine years ago by transactions with the New Haven road."

Fletcher Palmetto, a Soleilé

BOSTON, April 22.—Excusing himself for a moment to two policemen who were about to arrest him for illicit practice, John Fletcher, widely known as "Fletcher the palmist," went into a back room at his office and committed suicide today by taking poison.

TWO STEAMERS "BROKEN UP"

By New Haven Rather Than Sell Them to Competitors

Says Government Accountant, David E. Brown, at Hearing

Company Paid \$932,000 for Vessels and Used Them 3 Years

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BOSTON, April 22.—Two steamers for which the New England Navigation Co., a subsidiary, for which the New Haven road had paid \$932,000 three years earlier were "broken up" this disposition of the vessels realizing \$44,000 for the company.

LOWELL IS A HEALTHY CITY

Monthly Bulletin of State Board of Health Says So—Few Deaths From Contagious Diseases

In the monthly bulletin of the state board of health for February there is included an article on infection of the milk supply and spread of typhoid fever. In stating the importance of undetected typhoid carrier cases, Lowell's experience in 1910 is made part of the report.

The average typhoid death rate per 100,000 for Massachusetts cities and towns for the four years, 1908-11, is given in the report and Lowell stands comparatively low; lower than several smaller cities. There were 57 deaths in Lowell from typhoid fever in the four years as against 52 in Lynn, 72 in Fall River, 62 in Lawrence, 64 in Springfield and 84 in New Bedford.

Cases in Lowell

The following about typhoid fever in Lowell in 1910 appears:

1. Two cases of typhoid fever occurred in Lowell in 1910 on the route of a certain milkman early in September. The dairy was immediately investigated, and from the 13 employees Widal tests were taken, of which 12 were negative. The thirteenth test was abnormal. Since nothing was found here to explain satisfactorily the cases, further investigations were made at other dairies from which the milkman secured milk, and at one place the dairyman, ill with typhoid fever, had just been removed to the hospital. The milk had been infected by this man in the handling, and this was the source of the infection in the cases reported.

Later positive Widal tests were obtained from the thirteen men at the milkman's dairy, and this same man was shown to be harboring typhoid bacilli for a period of seven weeks, though he himself had never had the disease, nor was he ill during the period in question. But for this investigation the carrier would not have been discovered.

Though this investigation was undertaken promptly, and the sale of milk from this source was forbidden when but six cases had been reported, there were 33 additional cases reported during the remainder of the month, 53 of which were attributed directly to this source.

2. Milk handled by a table maid who was coming down with the disease infected 49 people who spent Labor day at a country hotel in Worcester county in 1909.

Weekly Death Returns

The report also contains weekly returns of deaths from cities and towns of more than 10,000 population, and for the week ending Feb. 1, 1913, the total number of deaths reported in this city (from all causes) was 39, as against 35 in Cambridge, 38 in New Bedford and 35 in Springfield, all smaller cities.

Typhoid in Gardens

Relative to typhoid fever the report states that lettuce, celery and other vegetables, used without cooking, and taken from gardens where sewage or

the disease is least suspected and when the fewest precautions are observed, and during the first three weeks of the sickness.

Infection Through Carriers

Of recent years another source of infection has been recognized, one which readily explains many cases hitherto impossible to account for satisfactorily. It has been found that certain persons, called carriers, harbor typhoid bacilli and discharge them through the urine and feces. The elimination of bacilli is not constant, but intervals of varying length occur when the stools and urine are free from the germs. Repeated examinations are, therefore, often necessary to demonstrate that a carrier is no longer a source of danger.

For convenience carriers have been divided into two classes: the transitory, when the bacilli are found for a period of less than three months, and the chronic, when they are found for a longer period. The class of transitory carriers includes (a) persons during the incubation stage of the disease, (b) those clinically recovered, but who still eliminate bacilli in their excretions, and (c) healthy persons in contact with the infection. Chronic carriers include persons who have had the disease and healthy persons who have never had it.

Of 431 carrier cases discovered in southwestern Germany, where carrier cases have been especially studied, 211 were transitory and 220 were chronic carriers. Of the transitory, 43.5 per cent. and of the chronic, 50 per cent., had typhoid fever. Three months was considered the limit for distinguishing between transitory and chronic carriers.

Several painstaking and careful investigations by different observers have shown that over 11 per cent. of the cases investigated were eliminated by carriers for a period exceeding six weeks after the cessation of the fever.

Conservative judgment, based upon data available at the present time, indicates that 4 or 5 per cent. of the cases become carriers. It is not known how long a person may continue to be a carrier. Instances are recorded where the period is known to have extended over ten, twenty, thirty, even forty or more years.

This means that in Massachusetts alone there are from 120 to 150 carriers added to the population from year to year. The important significance of these facts is plain when we realize that typhoid bacillus carriers are liable at any time to be employed on dairy farms. In public places such as hotels or restaurants, or in homes as cooks and waitresses, or in other positions where their work involves the handling of food products.

Experience in Lowell

In connection with the preparation of this report, several experiences with carrier infection have been encountered:

1. One experience, occurring in Lowell, well illustrates the desirability of the early report of cases and the importance of early co-operation with the laboratory, since the source of infection was found and preventive measures were taken before the report of the cases had been received through the ordinary channels.

The state health inspector, happening to be in the Lowell laboratory on August 8, learned of three positive Widal tests taken on August 6, 7 and 8 from patients in North Chelmsford.

By arrangement the three positive cases and two other doubtful cases in North Chelmsford were visited on Aug. 9. All five obtained milk from the same dairy. A visit showed the dairy

to be rather dirty. Widal tests taken from all who were said to be connected with the dairy were negative. Being dissatisfied, the inspector made a second visit to the dairy on the morning of the 10th of August, and another employee was found who had recently come to the dairy. This man gave a positive Widal on August 11, though he himself was not ill, had never had typhoid fever, and could recall no illness since childhood. He probably was a carrier, as suitable preventive measures were taken, and no further cases resulted. All this preventive work, as stated above, had been accomplished before the usual reports had been received.

Care of Milk Bottles
But 35 towns (no cities) placard for typhoid fever. The bearing of this fact upon the spread of infection through the exchange of milk bottles and the danger from the exchange of bottles at the grocer's has already been noted.

The use of milk bottles for other purposes than that for which they are intended is prohibited by law. It is no uncommon sight to see specimens of urine brought into a doctor's office in a milk bottle, and authentic instances have been reported of tuberculosis sputum being delivered for examination in a milk bottle. These bottles are thrown into the ash can and eventually find their way to the public dump.

One firm in this state makes a business of collecting stray bottles and returning them to their owners. During the past year nearly 2,500,000 bottles were handled by this exchange. Of this number 500,000 were picked up at various dumps. Many of these bottles were in an unspeakably filthy condition. After washing with warm water and soda these bottles are distributed to the various owners. Of the 225 milk dealers using this exchange, only a few of the larger ones have a sterilizing plant. In consequence these filthy bottles, recovered from public dumps after one or two more or less careful washings, are refilled with milk and distributed to the public.

The use of such bottles should be prohibited unless thoroughly cleaned and sterilized.

Investigation of Cases
Another difficulty in suppressing typhoid fever is that outside of some cities and a few of the larger towns there is little or no investigation of cases, no attempt to discover the source of infection and no record regarding previous cases beyond the list of cases reported, which might be used for studying the situation.

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PRES. WILSON MAKES AN APPEAL

To Governor Johnson of California Not to Enact Any Anti-Alien Land Laws

WASHINGTON, April 22.—President Wilson after a conference with the democratic delegation in congress today decided to telegraph Gov. Johnson and legislative leaders in California appealing to them not to enact any anti-alien land laws in contravention of treaty obligations of the United States with Japan.

The telegram is as follows:

"I speak on the assumption which I am sure is well founded that the people of California do not desire their representatives do not wish or intend in any circumstances to embarrass the government of the United States in its dealings with a nation with whom it has most earnestly and cordially sought to maintain relations of genuine friendship and goodwill and that least of all do they desire to do anything that might impair treaty obligations or cast a doubt upon the honor and good faith of the nation and its government."

"I therefore appeal with the utmost confidence to the people, the governor, and the ex-governor of California, to act in the matter now under consideration in a manner that cannot from any point of view be fairly challenged or called in question. If they deem it necessary to exclude all aliens who have not declared their intentions to become citizens from the privileges of land ownership they can do so along lines already followed in the laws of many of the other states and of many foreign countries, including Japan herself. Invidious discrimination will inevitably draw in question the treaty obligations of the government of the United States. I register my very earnest and respectful protest against discrimination in this case not only because I deem it my duty to do so as the chief executive of the nation but also, and the more readily, because the people and the executive authorities will generously respond to me in them as a question of national policy and of national honor. They have ignored this point of view it is, I am sure, because they did not realize what and how much was involved."

The California democratic congressional delegation, consisting of Reps. Kefler, Baker and Charles called on the president about appointments today but Mr. Wilson deferred that until and immediately took up the alien land situation. He told his visitors that he had no desire to be anywhere encroaching on the sovereign rights of California to legislate as she pleased but that he felt it was his duty to call the attention of the leaders in the state to the international question involved.

DEATHS

SANBORN—Harold W. Sanborn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Sanborn, died yesterday at the home of his parents, 24 By street, aged one year and twelve days.

ROTH—William C. Roth, aged 6 years, died this morning at the home of his parents, Martin and Johanna Roth, 228 West London street. He leaves besides his parents, one brother Martin and two sisters, Emma and Catherine.

FUNERALS

MANSFIELD—The funeral of Matthew Mansfield, former resident of Lowell, took place yesterday morning at 5:30 o'clock from the home of Patrick Fitzgerald, Holyoke, and was largely attended. A high funeral mass was sung at St. Jerome's church by

Rev. Fr. Broderick. The bearers were John McDonald, Michael Moriarty, Timothy Moriarty and Henry Fitzgerald. The body was brought to this city for burial in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Dr. P. E. Hurley of Holyoke. Burial was under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

FERRERA—The funeral of John Ferrera took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his parents, Alvaro and Ricardo Ferrera, 48 Tyler street. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

McGRATH—There was a very large attendance at the funeral of Master John Joseph McGrath, the sorrow for the deceased and the sympathy for the bereaved parents being manifested in every hand and particularly by the large attendance at the church, the funeral oration and the beautiful array of floral tributes and the tender expressions of playmates, teachers and friends for the deceased boy.

The cortège left the home of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath, 70 Pleasant street, at 3:30 and at 5 o'clock a high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Owen McQuade, who conducted the final mass being rendered by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Hugh Walker.

The bearers were playmates or close friends of the deceased, namely, John Connors, Walter Connors, Joseph Burns, William Dudley, James Burns, Eugene Doolan, James Shanley and Edward Shanley.

The interment was in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery where the committal service was conducted by Rev. Fr. McQuade, O. M. I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Tighe, O. M. I., and Deacon McAlister, had charge of the funeral.

There was a great array of beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Our Johnnie" from the parents; standing cross inscribed "Nephew," from Frank McGrath; pillow also inscribed "Nephew," from Mr. and Mrs. John McAleer; standing cross "Good Son," Edward and Vincent Smith, Central Falls, R. I.; basket of roses, employees of the Lawyer Printing company; large basket of pinks and roses from the fourth grade of St. John's school; study of roses and pink from Miss Gwin and Miss Emerson of the Bond street school; star on base, inscribed "Godchha," from Daniel Covello; spray of sweet peas, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Lawler. Among others who sent floral tributes were Miss Bridget McNulty, Helen Kelly, Francis McNamee, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Toole, Mary, Mr. Joseph Goshan, Howlandson children, Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah McGlinchey and family, Miss Bowen, John Connor, Francis Slattery, Walter Connor, Alto Brine, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. J. Spillane, Mr. and Mrs. J. Doolan, and finally the parents, John and Joseph Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sheahan, Gladys, Ada and Walter Rooney, Mrs. Ann Sharin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Willmett, Mr. Michael McGlinchey and family, Master Ned Lee, Mr. Michael E. Rourke, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. McQuade, Miss Anna and Paul Macarson, Mrs. Donnelly and family, Mr. and Mrs. James J. McManaman, and others.

City Coal Contract Awarded

The contract for 55 tons of coal for the city hall was awarded today, to John P. Quinn. His bid was \$4.55 per ton; Sullivan bid \$4.37; Wilson \$4.28 and Horne, \$4.08. Burnham & Davis was awarded the contract for a carload of spruce plank for bridge work. This company bid \$24.55 a thousand.

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Pierre A. Poissant, Joseph A. Cayouette, Poissant & Co., 510 Middlesex street.

Frederick W. Barrows, Lillian H. Burton, F. W. Barrows & Co., 1042 Central street, 642-656 Gorham street.

Herrick Donohoe, Nora Donohoe, P. Donohoe & Co., 15-15 Adams street.

Louis P. Turcotte, Margeline Turcotte, L. P. Turcotte & Co., 141-143-145 Worthen street and 1 Worthen avenue.

Jeremiah Bailey, Catherine J. Bailey, Bailey & Co., 7-11 Whipple street.

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Mary A. Callahan, William J. Eastman, J. J. Callahan & Co., 405 Lawrence street, 63-67 Abbott street.

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Edward F. Shea, Elizabeth A. Shea, E. F. Shea & Co., 78 East Merrimack street.

Cornelia E. Dugan, Margaret J. Dugan, Charles A. Dugan, C. E. Dugan & Co., 42-44 Gorham street, 17 Appleton street.

Pierre Bourgette, 338 Moody street.

Michael E. Egan, Anthony A. Conway, George E. Shontell, Globe Wine Co., 364-366 Gorham street.

Jeremiah McGinnis, Nellie McGinnis, McGinnis & Co., 84-86 Gorham street.

Frank Barnard, 526 Merrimack street.

John Donohoe, J. J. Donohoe, John Donohoe & Co., 45 Moody street, 94 Worthen street.

Martin Conway, Delta T. Brennan, Brennan & Co., 224 Middlesex street.

Joseph H. McDonald, Andie M. McDonald, J. H. McDonald & Co., 14-16 Lakeview avenue, and 5-7 Aiken street.

Fred Billingsley, John W. Billingsley & Co., 149-153 Market street.

Thomas P. Lane, Brigette Lane, Thorpe Lane & Co., 135 Crosby street, 65 Kingsman street.

Charles A. Connors, 285-294 Moody street.

James J. McCausland, James Gavin, J. J. McCausland & Co., 23 Coburn street and 50 West Third street.

John H. Douglass, Mary E. Douglass, John H. Douglass & Co., 118 South street and 15 Summer street.

Charles L. Marren, Frank H. Marren, C. L. Marren & Co., 143, 143-1/2 Gorham street.

John J. Regan, Elizabeth Regan, John J. Regan & Co., 23-35 Middle street.

Bertrand J. Callahan, Patrick Baxton, E. J. Callahan & Co., 23-27 Lakeview avenue.

James J. Kennedy, Annie T. Kennedy, James J. Kennedy & Co., 212-214 Broadway.

Thomas R. Fahey, 158-162, 192 Church street.

Patrick H. Brosnan, 735 Lakeview avenue.

Clarence E. Cunningham, Mary J. Cunningham, C. E. Cunningham & Co., 10-12 Worthen street.

John J. Brennan, Patrick Keyes, Franklin Wine Co., 467 Middlesex st., and 10-12 Broadway court.

John J. Brady, Patrick Brady, John J. Brady & Co., 315-352 Broadway and 20 Willie street.

Maurice K. Coleman, Elizabeth F. Kennedy, Kennedy & Co., 312 Bridge street and 1 Lakeview avenue.

Michael T. O'Rourke, Thos. O'Rourke, M. T. O'Rourke & Co., 611 Broadway.

John H. Donnelly, Evelyn S. Donnelly, John H. Donnelly & Co., 112 Middlesex street and 5-7 Eliot street.

Edward Murphy, Florence J. Murphy, Edward Murphy Co., 331 Broadway, 314-316 Fletcher street.

George J. Kearns, Kate T. Kearns, George J. Kearns & Co., 61-63 Salem street.

E. J. Timmons Co., Frederick J. Timmons, treasurer, 209-212 Middlesex street.

Thomas F. Duffy Co., John J. Giblin, president, 15-21 Market street.

REV. DENIS A. O'BRIEN

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Denis O'Brien of Centralville, Ordained in Rome—Will Return Home Early in July

Rev. Denis Augustine O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denis O'Brien of Centralville, and who has been studying at the American College, Rome, since 1913, was on Sunday, April 20th, ordained to the sacred priesthood by the Latin patriarch of Constantinople in the church of St. Apollinaire, Rome. The young cleric on the following day, April 21st, celebrated his first mass in the basilica of St. Clement, the Utular church in Rome of His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell. Fr. O'Brien will remain in Rome until the latter part of June, preparing for the Propaganda university examinations, returning to America the early part of July. Fr. O'Brien will sing high mass in St. Michael's church on July 6th.

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REV. DENIS A. O'BRIEN

Son of Mr. and Mrs. Denis O'Brien of Centralville, Ordained in Rome—Will Return Home Early in July

Rev. Denis Augustine O'Brien, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denis O'Brien of Centralville, and who has been studying at the American College, Rome, since 1913, was on Sunday, April 20th, ordained to the sacred priesthood by the Latin patriarch of Constantinople in the church of St. Apollinaire, Rome. The young cleric on the following day, April 21st, celebrated his first mass in the basilica of St. Clement, the Utular church in Rome of His Eminence Cardinal O'Connell. Fr. O'Brien will remain in Rome until the latter part of June, preparing for the Propaganda university examinations, returning to America the early part of July. Fr. O'Brien will sing high mass in St. Michael's church on July 6th.

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HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Encouraging Reports by
Y. M. C. A. Officers

WOMEN AND GIRLS HAVE NOT
ASKED FOR INSTRUCTIONS

In Swimming—Officers Who Served
During the Past Year Were Elected

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held last night and the annual report of President Frank A. Bowen, together with other reports, was very encouraging. It was expected that the association would have before it a communication from the Y. W. C. A. relative to the use, by women and girls, of the Y. M. C. A. swimming tank, but the communication was not in evidence and the physical committee took no action.

The annual report of the president was as follows:

In presenting to the directors my annual report as president of the Young

in which we were able to begin our work, we shall not be able to have all departments in full operation before next fall.

It is a great disappointment to your president, which he shares in common with the directors and friends of the association, that the committee having in charge the erection of the building was not able to complete the structure with the amount that was contributed by the people of Lowell for the purpose. About \$69,000 more will be needed before the building can be dedicated free of debt.

That this will be a great burden upon the directors who are to manage the affairs of the institution is very plainly to be seen. Unless this indebtedness can be raised, we shall be very seriously hampered in our work. Am pleased to state that a very determined effort is being made to raise the amount needed to wipe out the debt, which effort we trust will be eminently successful.

It is beyond question that we have one of the best planned and equipped buildings in the state and the work we can do for the boys and young men of Lowell should prove of the greatest value.

In order that our work may be effective and of permanent value, we solicit the assistance of all who realize the need of such an institution in our city as endowments, the interest on which

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department, submitted a report on the activities of the past year, all of which are well remembered.

A senior leaders corps has been organized and has helped to make the gymnasium a success. A medical staff has been appointed under the direction of Dr. Randell and physical examinations are being made of all physical department members. To date 104 such examinations have been made.

Twenty-four in the gymnasium for civil service examinations.

A total of 5808 took part in 183 activities.

The attendance at the swimming pool is estimated at about 6000. Baths taken during the year estimated 26,000.

Forty leaders have assisted in making the gymnasium classes a success.

The largest number in gymnasium class at one time 104. Other interesting reports came from C. F. Fleming, chairman of the membership committee; A. F. French, chairman of the educational committee; R. Lang Black, on social life and activities; the boys' report by H. O. Brooks, and a report of the swimming campaign by A. J. Wilcox.

Old Officers Re-elected

All of the old officers elected for the ensuing year were present at the annual meeting, including F. A. Bowen, president; Samuel H. Thompson, vice-president; William G. White, clerk; Walter Hoyt, treasurer.

SWIM TO ARREST THIEF

Revere Police in Sensational Chase

BOSTON, April 22.—After a sensational chase last evening, with the Revere police wading through the Revere marshes and swimming Belle Isle creek, James Lyden, charged with the theft of two packages of copper wire, was captured, while a second man escaped.

Policemen Shanahan, Blackmar and Pearson, who participated in the chase, were covered with wet mud and wet to the skin when they brought Lyden, also dripping from his immersion in the creek, to the police station. Patrolman Ahern fared better. He had gone around the Orient Heights side of the marsh to head off the escaping man, who was forced back into the hands of the other officers when Ahern appeared before him with his revolver leveled.

The men were found stealing copper wire from a factory.

TWO WERE SHOT DOWN

Deadly Pistol Duel in Franklin, Ky.

FRANKLIN, Ky., April 22.—Two men are dead, one fatally wounded and three others more or less seriously hurt as the result of a pistol duel that occurred in the streets of this city. Judge John H. Goodnight, 35, and William Taylor, 45, were slain, while James Taylor, son of William, was fatally wounded.

It is said an altercation arose between young Taylor and Sheriff Consett following a street fair. The sheriff ordered young Taylor off the ground, but soon thereafter Taylor, accompanied by his father, came back.

The altercation was renewed and the elder Taylor and the sheriff opened fire with the result that William Taylor fell, pierced by six bullets. Young Taylor then opened fire with two automatic revolvers, but Consett escaped uninjured. After the fight it was found that young Taylor had been shot and mortally wounded. Judge Goodnight had been hit by one of the stray bullets and died several hours later.

Vernon Witt, a horseman; John Lague, an insurance man, and Will Moore, a farmer, also were wounded by stray bullets. The city is quiet.

ON BARBERS' BILL

HEARING TOOK PLACE AT STATE HOUSE YESTERDAY

Several Charges Made Including Lowellog of Registration and Renewal Fees

A hearing on the barbers' bill was granted to P. J. Sheehan, representing the journeymen barbers and Henry Sterling of the state branch of the A. F. of L., by the ways and means committee at the state house yesterday morning.

The bill has been redrafted, it seems, and the new draft provides a combination to comprise of a registered physician at \$10 per day and two practical barbers, each at \$5 per day, to examine and grant certificates to all practising barbers and to revoke the same in case they fail to provide clean service.

Until the passage of the act every barber may obtain registration without this examination, but after the bill is passed, the new barbers must display a knowledge of the ordinary skin diseases before being granted the certificate. The fee for registration was \$3 and \$1 a year for renewal and has been cut to \$2.50 and 25c, respectively by the committee on public health.

The intention of those committee is to insure good service and to generally elevate the barbers' profession.

The law is in vogue in some of the other states of the east and seems to be meeting with success and general approval.

Mr. Sheehan stated that in his estimation there are between 4000 and 4000 registered barbers in Massachusetts now practising. There was no opposition and the hearing was closed.

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To be Charged by Loan Agencies is Fixed

MUST NOT EXCEED THREE PER CENT PER MONTH

Circular issued to Licensing Bodies by State Supervisor of Loan Agencies Brown

Mr. E. Gerry Brown, state supervisor of loan agencies, has issued a circular to aldermen, selectmen and licensing bodies fixing the rate of interest to be charged by pawnbrokers.

The supervisor recommended an amendment to the law providing that the word "but" the rate shall in no case exceed 3% per month" so that the section might read: "The supervisor shall establish the rate of interest to be collected, and on fixing said rate shall have due regard to the amount of the loan and the nature of the security and the time for which the loan is made, and no licensee or company or association to which this act applies, shall charge or receive upon any loan a greater rate of interest than that fixed by the supervisor."

The legislature referred the matter to the next general court. The supervisor now gives notice that no regulation relative to the business carried on and the rate of interest to be charged by the pawnbrokers will be to the satisfaction of the supervisor which carries any rate of interest in excess of 3% a month.

Mr. Brown issued for the guidance of the various licensing boards the following instructions:

On sums of 100 dollars or under, 3 per cent per month; on any fraction of the month at the same rate.

On sums over 100 dollars 2 per cent per month; on any fraction thereof at the same rate.

A lender shall not be required to take less than 10 cents to discharge any loan made.

Please acknowledge the receipt of this circular and submit the action of the licensing board to the supervisor of loan agencies for a formal approval as required in section 21, chapter 727, acts of 1911.

TO ANNEX MORGAN PLOT

Burial in Wethersfield Not Hartford

HARTFORD, Conn., April 22.—Owing to the discovery that the Morgan family burial plot in Cedar Hill cemetery, in which the body of J. P. Morgan was buried a week ago, is in the town of Wethersfield, a movement has been started for the annexing of that part of Wethersfield to Hartford.

Mr. Morgan's will, it is pointed out, contains a clause directing that he be buried "in the family burial place prepared by my father in Cedar Hill cemetery at Hartford, Conn."

It is contended that Mr. Morgan is not buried in Hartford soil and that steps to see that his wish is carried out should be taken.

Relatives of Mr. Morgan in this city are said to be favorable to the proposition. It will be necessary to take the matter to the general assembly. A large section of the cemetery is involved.

GRADUATION EXERCISES

Of the Evening Classes of the Lowell Textile School Will Be Held Tomorrow Night

The graduating exercises of the evening classes of the Lowell Textile school will be held tomorrow evening in the assembly hall, corner Moody street and Colonial avenue at 7:45 o'clock.

The principal speakers will be the Hon. W. E. Rowell of Lawrence and John J. Connelly, agent of the Tremont and Sutton mills.

Eighty-one graduates will receive certificates.

The buildings will be open for inspection at 7 o'clock and the public is cordially invited to be present at the exercises.

ARBOR DAY

Gov. Foss Issues Proclamation Designating Saturday, April 26, as the Day to Celebrate

BOSTON, April 22.—Governor Foss issued a proclamation designating Saturday, April 26, as Arbor day.

"If Arbor day serves only to emphasize to the public consciousness the importance of maintaining our timber lands, it will accomplish a most useful purpose," he says.

I urge upon the citizens of the state a more concerted action toward this much-desired result, and recommend that Arbor day be observed also by planting shrubs, vines and flowering plants as a means of adding beauty and value to private grounds."

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THE TARIFF BATTLE

Now that the democratic caucus of the house has concluded its investigations without changing or amending any material point of the new tariff bill, the real battle is about to begin in its discussion in the house. Close students of the situation, of all shades of political belief, foretell its speedy passage. Even in the senate it is expected that the measure will be passed in practically its present form. During the caucus of two weeks of tariff debate, the Underwood program, shaped by the president, prevailed by an overwhelming majority, and the unanimity with which the democratic party in the senate and house desires its adoption is one of the surest signs of its success.

Without doubt one of the strongest causes of the present security of the tariff bill and its confident outlook has been the personality of the president and the prestige of his administration. Had he showed any signs of weakening at any of the initial stages, or had he demonstrated that he was actuated by any but the most sincere motives, his action would be followed by a spirit of uneasiness in his party, but his steadfast and constant perseverance in following the plans as outlined at first did much to dispel the notion, fostered by some antagonistic interests, that the tariff reduction was unscientific and haphazard.

As the tariff battle now stands the Underwood bill has the almost positive assurance of the full democratic majority of the house and senate. Some of the progressive element of the republican party will probably support it in part, if not wholly. Although it must go through the routine processes of discussion, debate and argument, its passage without material change is already assured. Even the wool and sugar schedules which are among those most bitterly attacked, promise to become law without being radically changed from their present form.

Tariff revision now being at our doors, it remains for the business interests of the country to abandon their walls of discontent and empty prophecies of impending disaster and to prepare for the new conditions. Before it can be justly condemned, it must be fairly proved defective. Tariff revision is the strongly expressed wish of the people. It was the clearly defined issue in all the great recent political contests and it was strongly approved by the people of the entire country.

Should the proposed changes injure any industry or fail to reduce the cost of living there will be widespread disappointment but all the changes are more or less experimental and nobody can foretell correctly just what the result will be.

CLEAN YOUR WINDOWS

The cleaning of windows is one of the very essential phases of "spotless town" activity. It is gratifying, therefore, to find that one of the largest mills of the city whose walls rise from the public street, has started out to give good example by cleaning up its scores of windows which have been an eyesore for months because of their dusty condition. The rains and snows of winter, and the whirling dust storms of spring have left their traces on the clouded glass, and a general window cleaning campaign in the city would result in its looking brighter and more presentable.

In the better sections of Boston and other large cities a stranger is immediately impressed by the cleanliness of the windows of the stores and buildings. The same holds particularly true of Portland, Me., where a better spirit than we have must prevail among the citizens, in this respect at least, as one notices among his first impressions the shining windows of the store fronts and other public buildings. Because of this as well as its shaded streets it deserves the description of Longfellow as "that beautiful town that is seated by the sea."

Clean windows in the buildings that line our streets are not only attractive and conducive to the good appearance of the city, but they are also an aid to success in business. With the additional attraction of well arranged merchandise they serve as a refreshing advertisement to the hundreds who walk the streets daily and survey the goods exposed to view. The same holds true of offices. One's eye is immediately attracted to those windows that reflect the light and show signs of neatness and prosperity. What can be thought of a storekeeper, and there are many such, whose windows are so dirty as to exclude a view from the street even at night when the store is lighted?

It is to be hoped that a general campaign of window cleaning will be one of the features of clean up week.

Get ready your cloths and set to work with a will to shine up the glass which is now streaked with the rays of rain and dust. The machine which

posed Lord Balfour as leader and took up Bonar Law they merely substituted a firebrand for a well trained, well balanced, astute leader and the only man in the party who could at all cope with the triumvirate made up of Premier Asquith, John E. Redmond and Lloyd George, three of the ablest parliamentary leaders in all Europe.

It does seem that in spite of every device treacherous, treasonable and otherwise, resorted to by the Tories, the present ministry will remain in power until it places the home rule bill upon the statute books.

HOUSEBREAKING

Thanks to our capable police department and the enviable reputation the party has made in the ready detection and apprehension of thieves, Lowell the present ministry will remain in power until it places the home rule bill upon the statute books.

FOSS AND WALSH

Now that Governor Foss has declared in favor of Hon. David L. Walsh as the next candidate for governor on the democratic ticket, there is no use in discussing whether His Excellency will again be a candidate. Nobody expects he will play the Roosevelt game of going back on his specific promise.

This is about the worst time that could possibly be selected for any craft to seek an increase of pay in woolen or cotton mills. Very few mills will want to make decisions affecting the future of their business until the tariff schedules shall have been settled. That is only what might be expected and it will be useless to try to force them to take a leap in the dark.

Judging from the irregular weather we have been getting from Mr. Moore of the meteorological bureau at Washington his removal is no surprise.

A FOREIGN TOUR

At Y. W. C. A. Wednesday Night Will Be Interesting Event—Holloway Club in Charge

What will probably be one of the most interesting entertainments held at the Y. W. C. A. for some time will be given on Wednesday evening under the title of "A Foreign Tour."

The entertainment will be held under the auspices of the Riverlook club, who conduct a summer camp on the Concord river, and eight countries will be represented. The travelers will start from America and after getting on the "Riverlook," an imaginary boat, they will visit the foreign countries. On board will be footblacks, newsboy quartet, suffragettes and other characters that are usually found on a ship. Gray's orchestra will furnish music.

The countries to be represented and those in charge are: America, Miss Vernon DeCor; France, Miss Rose Cournoyer; Germany, Miss Harriet Garrison; Spain, Miss Bebbie Carroll; Holland, Miss Eva Armstrong; China, Miss Florence Archibald; Japan, Miss Ida Woodles and Scotland, Miss Thora Murray. Each country will be represented by a booth and dances with the partners represented will be on sale.

THE BACHELOR GIRLS

Will Give Musical Revue in Associate Hall on Thursday Evening—Excellent Program Arranged

The M. T. J. Bachelor Girls held their final dress rehearsal Sunday afternoon. William T. Gilmore, musical director of the troupe, was present, also Miner's orchestra, which will furnish music for the occasion. All the solos and selections were gone through and it was

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the consensus of opinion of those present that the musical song revue, which will be presented by the Bachelor Girls next Thursday evening in Associate Hall will be the most brilliant affair conducted by this troupe. The added features to this entertainment will be the novelty "Summer Girls," plus in number. This will be the first feature that will present itself to the audience, and four of the young ladies dressed as boys will do a novel dance with their partners, four in number, assisted by a soloist.

The second feature will be that of the Scotch lassies dressed in neat flitting kilts doing the native dances of Scotland, and will also be assisted by a soloist.

The third added feature on the program will be the Irish Lads and their Cilleens doing the famous breakdown and other dances dear to old Ireland.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

LOWELL OPERA HOUSE

While leading woman for Sir Herbert Tree at His Majesty's theatre, London, Constantine Collier, who will portray the title rôle in "The Merry Widow" at the Opera House, Friday and Saturday, April 25-26, appeared at six "command" performances and one "gals" event. One of the command performances was before the German emperor and the "gals" event was during the coronation celebration for King George and Queen Mary. Seats are now on sale.

BARBER OF SEVILLE

"Those who have so nobly supported the movement to bring the opera to our city will be gratified to learn that 'The Barber' as presented by the Boston Opera Co. stars at the Opera House, April 29th, is a fore-runner of operas just as fine for next year."

"It is as popular an opera as could be

seen by the many encores called for by the many spectators at both performances. This is the last week of April, and you will be sure to see some time at least, and to hear that their many admirers will pay them a last visit before they complete their engagement.

Another interesting piece is the one-act dramatic playlet, "A Man's Honor," given by the Bostonians at the Keith Theatre.

The sketch deals with a young man who is about to elope with the wife of his old friend, but who

at the last moment abandons all plans

on account of his honor being at stake.

The "Harem" song is given by Finley,

and the sisters attired in pajamas entertain with the "The Ghost of the Violin." A kissing song is also a feature of this number.

The Kashiño song. Four sing in a manner that admits considerable applause. They are all men and each possesses a good voice. The solo work is pleasing and the four harmonize excellently. Phil Adams, comedian, is the star of the quartet. He has a good comic turn and makes good use of it. It provides lots of fun.

"Fun with the Beggars" as given by the Seven Frolicsome Lads and Lassies, is a bright act. It is replete with plenty of music, clean fun and good dancing. All members of the troupe are clever and their efforts were well appreciated at the opening performance.

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BASEBALL AND
FIELD SPORTS

THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF
AND ATHLETICS

Live Bits of Sport

Young Stone's win over Johnny Boyle Saturday night should net him all the fighting that he can take care of the next few months. In winning every fight in consideration, Boyle is a clever boy and the boxer who outpoints him has to travel all the time. Boyle showed gameness in sticking it out with his eye in the condition that it was after the fourth round.

The third base position is still up in the air. Both Starr and Holt played well in the opening games. Starr's size is all against him, while Holt has got the ideal build for a ball player. If Starr can show that he is Holt's superior or even his equal with the attack he will certainly lose the job, for his holding is all that can be asked for.

Audy Sockalexis, the Oldtown runner who finished second in the Marathon Saturday, is considering the advisability of entering the professional ranks. This would be a great year for a great year for the "pro" distance men. Billy Quail will shortly sail for England where he will participate in several ten-mile grinds. There is money in the game if you are good enough to go and get it.

According to no less authority than Christy Mathewson, Ty Cobb is up as President Navin of the Detroit club. His chances of winning his right for the \$12,000 contract look worse than ever. His old manager, Cobb, has been on the bimonthly of the organized baseball since his little punching bee with a spectator in the grandstand at New York last summer, and it looks as though he was up against it this time.

Today's game with St. Anslem should prove good one. The New Hampshire college has had a fast team this year which has not been beaten this season. Manager Gray has not announced his lineup as yet, but it is probable that Weaver will be used on the mound.

Carlson, the Swede who won the B. A. Marathon Saturday, cannot read or write the English language and is limited to monosyllabic words. However, he can run and that is the main requirement for the grind.

English high of Boston will be represented at the monster athletic carnival that the University of Pennsylvania gives next Saturday in Philadelphia. The Boston team will be in the relay race for high school last year in the pick of the country and is looked to repeat this year. The Lowell High relay team put a crisp in this quarter last winter on the indoor track.

The candidates for the Lowell police baseball team are pacing their

respective beats these days with a quickened stride, in anticipation of the approaching season. Several of the regulars from last year's outfit will have to do some tall training if they ever expect to cop a position on any team. Captain Conners and Secretary Cooney are already wearing a broad smile in anticipation of that championship pennant presentation. The blue-coats should be some club swingers at that!

The Red Sox have not shown anything that resembles champion-like form as yet. If Manager Stahl expects to present a contender for the pennant this year he can't dawdle along with the idea of picking up the lead later. Ray Collins ought to be kept under cover until the warmer weather comes along instead of working out every day with the rest of the string.

The faculty have put the ban on Yale students participating in Sunday baseball games. A team composed of Yale students was scheduled to play a New Haven team on next Sunday but have been threatened with expulsion if they persist in following out their plans. The faculty will not know anything about it in all probability, but it's a cinch, the game will be played if we know anything about a student's attitude toward a faculty ruling.

Paul Moore and Jack Britton will probably be banned from further fighting in Quaker Town after their raw exhibition last night. Their scheduled six round bout was stopped by the referee at the end of the fourth session. The two boxers did nothing but stall from the time that they entered the ring until the affair was interrupted by the decision maker. The boxers were hissed and the referee roundly cheered for his action. It seems a pity that two men as widely known as these men should hurt the standing of the game putting on such an exhibition. However, at the last analysis, the fault really lies with the matchmaker. He is the man who makes the match and should be posted to the condition of both men before the bout is pulled off.

Gumbo Smith has finally gotten his match with Jess Willard and a 20-round affair at that. The bout, according to present plans, will be held at San Francisco on the 17th of next month. The winner of this bout will be the logical man for Luther McCarthy to meet for the title of "champion while heavy weight."

MASS. POLICE BASEBALL LEAGUE

Will Open Season May 6
—Lowell Will be Represented

The Massachusetts Police Baseball League held its final meeting last week and preparations are now complete for the coming season. The league will begin its schedule of games on May 6th and continue until the 2d of September.

Such interest has been manifested in the success of the league by prominent men all over the state and it is fully expected that a successful season this year will mean that the Police Baseball League will hold a permanent place in athletic circles.

The league this year will be comprised of the following teams: Cambridge, Somerville, Chelsea, Everett, Lowell, Metropolitan Park, Newton, Quincy and Revere. The league headquarters are situated at Chelsea. At the conclusion of the season valuable

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AMATEUR BASEBALL

The All Stars of Pawtucketville went down to defeat before the fast Columbia A. C. aggregate. Last Saturday by the score of 24 to 18. A game featuring big losses, fielding and free hitting. The poor work of the All Stars' outfield was the principal cause for their defeat.

ARE MANAGER FRANK CHANCE'S
PLAYING DAYS AT FIRST OVER?CHANCE
PHOTO BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

NEW YORK, April 22.—Are Frank Chance's playing days over? This question is now bothering the local American league baseball fans in this city. Chance began the season at first base for the Yanks, but was forced to lay off on account of a pulled tendon in his leg. Club officials say he will be back in the lineup in a week's

time, but will he? It is said on good authority that his underpinning is very weak and that a few weeks hard playing at the initial station will be about all he can stand and that he will be forced to manage the team from the bench from then on. Without Chance the Yanks will be very weak, as he steadies the infield in good shape.

SACO-Lowell LEAGUE Standing and Individual Averages

The standing of the teams and the individual averages of the rollers as announced by the league secretary of the Saco-Lowell league are as follows:

STANDING

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Foundry	14	12	.55.0
Shipper	31	29	.50.0
Kitson	30	30	.50.0
Shop	10	36	.50.0
Office	23	37	.50.0
Draftsmen	15	45	.25.0

PINFALL

	Games Total	Ave.
Foundry	14	12.00
Kitson	35	15.055
Shop	15	18.947
Shipper	15	18.855
Office	14	17.050
Draftsmen	14	12.28

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES

Bowler and Team	Strings Ave.
Clark, Foundry	42
Sharpie, Shop	44
Hargrove, Kitson	45
Proux, Foundry	42
Blehaule, Shippers	45
O'Neill, Shippers	42
Conley, Kitson	45
Harrill, Kitson	45
Kelley, Kitson	36
Marschall, Foundry	35
Baker, Office	34
McNulty, Kitson	45
Woodman, Draftsmen	24
Hammond, Office	35
Farrell, Office	42
Judd, Draftsmen	27
Boardman, Shippers	45
Hale, Office	30
Dana, Draftsmen	33
Blanchard, Shop	36
McKitterick, Draftsmen	24

HIGH TRIPLES

Grant, Shop	21
Sharpie, Shop	21
Blehaule, Shippers	20
Clark, Foundry	29
Woodman, Draftsmen	21
McNulty, Kitson	33
Hammond, Office	32

HIGH SINGLES

O'Neil, Shippers	112
Sharpie, Shop	111
Langrvin, Kitson	111
Grant, Shop	109
Woodman, Draftsmen	108
Sharpie, Shop	103
McNulty, Kitson	102
Clark, Foundry	101

HIGH TEAM TOTAL

Kitson	1553
Foundry	1335

HIGH TEAM STRING

Shop	424
Kitson	402

—Indicates winners of prizes.

RED SOX ERRORS FATAL Dropped Another Game to Athletics

Company G came into its own last night when it met Company C in the weekly athletic tournament that has been going on all winter. These two teams stand in the first two places in the league and last night's contests proved the most interesting and exciting that have been staged at the armory this year.

Company G won out in the shooting, a big surprise to everybody. It has been commonly conceded that the C team was unbeatable in this event, but they went down to defeat last night by a 10 point margin. The same thing, only in reverse order, happened in the basketball game. Company G has boasted a team this season which has put up a glib edge exhibition of basket shooting and which was supposed to be superior to any team at the armory.

The C quintet gave them a good beating last night, however, winning the game by the score of 30 to 28.

Company G also showed that her five bowlers were better than the C team by taking two of the three strings rolled and the totals by the score of 1267 to 1263. The conclusion of the bowling match brought forth great excitement as there were only four pins separating the two teams. The score and summary of the games:

The Standing

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	301	31	.74.3
Company C	90	54	.32.5
Company K	67	55	.50.7
Company M	15	126	.12.3

SHOOTING COMPANY G

Lieut. Waller	76
Lieut. Dorsey	72
Corp. Walsh	63
Sgt. Barnes	59
Miss. Durk	46
Total	316

COMPANY C

Priv. Moir	45

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REPEAL OF BAR AND BOTTLE BILL

Killed in House by Vote of 120 to
105—Teachers' Tenure Bill
Was Amended

BOSTON, April 22.—The bill providing for local option in the matter of the Bar and Bottle act of 1910 was defeated in the house yesterday, 120 to 105, one of the largest votes of the year. The size of the vote for the bill was a surprise even to its friends, who will seek reconsideration of its rejection.

This bill, which would practically repeal the Bar and Bottle act, had been favorably reported by the committee on legal affairs and was the first item on the calendar.

Representative Haines of Medford opened debate against the bill, stating that the law operated greatly to reduce the number of arrests by nearly 1000 a year. He said all except those who are directly concerned in the liquor business have observed that the law has improved conditions, and declared that there is no demand for its repeal except from those who are connected with the business.

John J. Murphy of Boston, favoring the bill, took exception to a circular sent out by the Anti-Saloon League, in which the Boston Licensing board was quoted as favoring a retention of the present law. He read a report from the board stating that it was convinced that the law has worked to increase the sale of liquor to be consumed in the home. He admitted that the number of arrests for drunkenness has decreased, but denied that the Bar and Bottle law is responsible for the improved condition.

Call Present Law Foolish

Representative Wood of Gardner said the Bar and Bottle law has helped to regulate the abuse of liquor; if it is a fact, as the liquor dealers claim, that the law has increased the sale of bottled goods, the liquor dealers would be the last to ask for its recall. One of Boston's prominent social workers told the committee he said that in many places she had found that the amount of liquor consumed in the home had materially decreased, and he thought the testimony of such a woman should have great weight.

Burk of Adams favored the bill,

because it carries a referendum to the people. Bigelow of Framingham took the opposite view, stating that no member who has a regard for his home will surrender to the people at large his opportunity to protect it by defeating this bill.

Abbott of Haverhill argued that the bill does not repeal the present law unless a majority of the people in each license city and town are opposed to it.

Representative Doyle of New Bedford closed the debate for the bill, stating that he considered it specially appropriate that the opposition to it should come from the historical city of Medford. He characterized the present law as one of the most foolish ever put upon the statute books, and declared that it has done more harm than any other put upon the books for many years.

By a vote of 105 to 120, the house refused to order the bill in a third reading.

The rollcall showed that the Lowell delegation was divided. Messrs. Achin, Jewett, Murphy and Toomey voting yes for the bill, and Messrs. Butler and Craig voting no. Rev. Charles H. Williams of Billerica also voted no.

Teachers' Tenure of Office

Next the house took up the bill to provide a tenure of office for teachers in the public schools. An amendment offered by Representative Wood of Gardner, providing that only five years of service instead of 10, shall be necessary to establish a tenure, was adopted without debate, as was an amendment offered by Representative Lomasney of Boston, providing that in any hearing on charges against a teacher the teacher shall have a voice in determining whether the hearing shall be private or public.

Representative Bliss of Malden offered an amendment providing that the act shall take effect in each city and town upon its acceptance by the voters thereof. To this amendment, Representative Wood offered another, to them.

make it take effect upon its acceptance by the school committee in each city and town.

Representative Beck of Chelsea opposed the Wood amendment, contending that the house might just as well kill the bill as adopt this amendment. His view prevailed and the amendment was rejected on a voice vote, after which the bill was adopted, 49 to 28. The bill was then passed to be engrossed and sent to the senate.

Grade Crossing Bill

Representative Prime of Winchester offered to the bill to relieve towns and cities of any portion of the cost of abolishing grade crossings, unless they petition for such abolition, an amendment to make the bill apply to all future payments under petitions for the abolition of grade crossings pending in court at the time when the act takes effect. He said his town had had a petition pending in the courts for eight years, and he thought it unfair that a town should be required to pay 10 per cent. of the cost while some other town where the crossings are abolished shortly after the act takes effect will be relieved.

Representative Barnes of Mansfield opposed the amendment as unconstitutional, and Representative Washburn of Worcester objected to it as inequitable. The latter offered an amendment, providing that all cities and towns which have hitherto contributed to the cost of abolishing grade crossings shall be reimbursed for their expenditures.

Mr. Barnes raised a point of order that both amendments were beyond the scope of the petition, the chair ruling that the prime amendment was within the scope of the petition and reserving his decision as to the Washburn amendment. The matter was then postponed until today.

Greenwood Breaks Tie

The state senate yesterday amended the bill relative to industrial controversies. As originally reported, this bill provides that five employees of any concern might compel the state board of conciliation and arbitration to investigate and report on any labor controversy.

Amendments were offered by Senator Blanchard of Somerville to provide that the state board need not make any investigation unless the petition for such inquiry was signed by five or every 25 persons employed by the concern involved, and that then it would be in the discretion of the state board to make an investigation and report.

The entire bill was very much involved, but the Blanchard amendments were adopted 17 to 16. Pres. Greenwood casting the deciding vote in favor of this week and \$7 a week in the future.

WHO OWNS THE BEACH? MISSION AT ST. PETER'S

Salisbury Lessees Now Very Strong Sermon on
in a Quandary

BEACH ASSOCIATES CLAIM RESERVATION LAW ILLEGAL

The Decision As To Constitutionality of the Law Pending Before Supreme Court

NWBURYPORT, April 22.—Hundreds of people who for a decade have composed the summer colony of Salisbury Beach are just now in a quandary as to whom they shall pay for the use of the land on which their cottages are located.

At present there are two distinct bodies claiming the right to collect this revenue—the Salisbury Beach Reservation Commission appointed by the state of Massachusetts and the Salisbury Beach Associates. The latter is an organization claiming a clear title to the entire beach.

Wednesday of this week, is the date set by the reservation committee on which they will take active possession of the property at the beach. Almost simultaneous with the announcement of the commission comes that of the other organization in a communication to all of the cottage owners regarding their rent, which falls due the first week of May. The communication warns them to pay Walter Coulson, treasurer of the Salisbury Beach Associates, or they will lose their rights.

While this activity is being pushed ahead from both sides, the question of who is the real holder of the title is pending in the courts. The commission seized a portion of the beach last year and recently made another seizure, taking all the land from the Merrimack river along the Atlantic coast to the New Hampshire state line. The strip of land is seven miles long and half a mile wide. The association in the case now before the court reserves that the act creating the state reservation is unconstitutional.

Minister Guilty of Non-Support

BOSTON, April 22.—The Rev. Arthur Whittaker, a retired Baptist minister and a resident of the Welfare Union, was found guilty of non-support by Judge Taue in the Waltham court yesterday and ordered to pay his wife \$14

this week and \$7 a week in the future.

WHO OWNS THE BEACH? MISSION AT ST. PETER'S

Very Strong Sermon on

Mortal Sin

UNCERTAINTY OF LIFE MOTIVE FOR REPENTANCE

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"Mortal Sin" was the subject of the sermon at the mission for single men at St. Peter's church last night by Rev. Mr. Gunning, following the preliminary instructions and recitation of the rosary at which Rev. Fr. O'Leary officiated. The sermon was the second in the course followed by the Redemptorist missionary fathers, the first being on the importance of the soul's salvation. Last evening mortal sin was discussed in a most eloquent and thoughtful discourse, as the hindrance to salvation and the disease which causes the failure of the soul to attain God, its last end.

The preacher emphasized the horror of mortal sin and illustrated his words with stories and examples. The soul in mortal sin, he said, is very near to damnation and all that is needed to send it to everlasting torment in hell away from the sight of God is a sudden death. When one stops and takes time to consider the unspeakable danger of being in a state of mortal sin and at the same time considers the absolute certainty of death together with the dread uncertainty as to the time, place and manner of death, truly he would realize the importance of being in a state of grace throughout one's whole life. Such is the awfulness of mortal sin and God's hatred of it. Knowing this, man should make use of the means afforded by the church for keeping his soul free from the contamination of the devil and thus eliminate the danger of losing God and happiness with Him in heaven.

As the greatest example of the attitude of God toward mortal sin, the preacher pictured the death of Christ, the savior of mankind, upon the cross, crucified by the sins of the world. Every time we commit mortal sin we virtually crucify God, murder Him, as did the Jews centuries ago.

There was a very large congregation at the service last evening. The preliminary instructions were a description of the significance of the rosary and the prayers which accompany its recitation. The priest explained the sorrowful, joyful and glorious mysteries, the origin of the prayers and the importance of the rosary, which embodies all the mysteries of man's redemption. Rev. Fr. O'Leary announced that this evening the most important sermon of the entire week will be preached and urged every man to be present and seated at half-past seven, and according to the words of Rev. Fr. O'Leary, it is one which the men cannot afford to miss. The mission masses at 5 and 8 o'clock are very largely attended and the Redemptorist Fathers at St. Peter's express themselves as highly pleased with the spirit shown by the men.

CHELMSFORD

Mrs. Mary M. G. Monroe celebrated her 50th birthday at her home in Chelmsford Center last Saturday, and the occasion will long be remembered by those who attended.

Relatives and friends gathered at her home throughout the day and Mrs. Monroe was the recipient of many presents, among them being a large birthday cake with initials M. M. G. M., and dates 1863 to 1913, and a mission bookcase.

Among those present who were nearest and dearest were: Two daughters, Mrs. D. W. Seaver of West Tewksbury and Miss Daisy Irene Monroe of Boston. A daughter of Mrs. Seaver, Mrs. Alice Nixon of Lowell, who was present with her seven little daughter, Cora May, aged three and one-half years, completed four generations.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The Mathew Temperance Institute has appointed a committee of ten to make arrangements for an "Old Time Members' Night," which will be held in the near future. The M. T. Bachelor Club, consisting of members of the institute, will be present and will be entertained by the musical song group which bids fair to be one of the best ever. Miss Blanche Perrin is training them in the dances and the musical director is Mr. William Gilmore.

STREET CAR MEN'S AUXILIARY

Last night the wives and daughters of the street car men met and formed an auxiliary to the organization and elected the following temporary officers: Mrs. William E. Sprout, president; Mrs. Edward Welch, secretary and Mrs. Thomas Murphy, treasurer. Committee members of Mr. Frank Lowe, Mrs. Clarence Allen, Mrs. Thomas McElroy, Mrs. W. A. Sargent and Mrs. Juez Jones was elected to draw up by-laws to govern the auxiliary. The meeting adjourned to meet next Monday night and all wives of carmen are invited to attend.

President Crowley, Edward Welch and W. E. Sprout, were present to assist in the organization of the auxiliary.

Sons of Veterans

The membership of Camp Farragut Sons of Veterans exceeded the 100 mark when a number of new names were added to the list at the last regular meeting of the organization. Commander Earl Thissell of Post 42, Commander Derby of Camp 75 and Past Commander Urenel, who was the first commander and has been a member for 33 years. Then Past Commander S. A. Pickering read a carefully prepared paper on the history of the organization. Other speakers were the brothers of the camp who will unite with the Daughters of Veterans in a celebration, the Mary E. Smith Tent having invited the sons to be their guests on that occasion.

Court Merrimack, Fr. of A.

The entertainment committee of Court Merrimack, Foresters of America, met last night and completed the final arrangements for the smoke talk which is to be held this evening after the meeting in Grafton Hall. Lecturer John T. Hendricks will speak and addresses will be delivered by several of the past chief rangers of the court. There will be a program of music by prominent local talent and refreshments will be served. The committee in charge comprises the officers of the court.

Molly Varney Chapter

Molly Varney Chapter, D. A. R., observed Patriot's Day with a meeting and entertainment at the Spalding house. There were several interesting addresses and a pleasing program of musical selections and recitations. The affair closed with the singing of patriotic hymns.

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Around Statements at Interstate Commerce Hearing

BOSTON, April 22.—Profits amounting to more than \$170,000 were made by President Charles S. Mellen of the New York, New Haven & Hartford by purchasing New Haven stock and selling it at a profit, some of it to concerns of which he was himself president, according to the testimony of David J. Brown, expert examiner of accounts of the interstate commerce commission at the hearing before Commissioner C. A. Prouty in the Federal building yesterday.

When these dealings came to light, Prouty declared that it was believed that the transaction was arranged by Mr. Mellen so that he would like to have Mr. Mellen appear before the commission to explain them in their true light.

It has not been summoned to appear, but developed during the hearing because such summons might give him immunity from the prosecution under the Sherman law. In the New York suit in connection with the Grand Trunk deal.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

The members of the Aero Whistle club met at the home of Mrs. Frank E. Leggins on Saturday evening and nearly every member of the club was present.

One of the features of the evening was the presentation of gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Atwood, and their daughter Alice, who were on the eve of their departure to a new home in Fitchburg. Refreshments were served and the party broke up at midnight, all wishing the Atwood family health and prosperity in their new home.

Lawrence K. of C. Dance

If you want to enjoy yourself thoroughly and mix with a crowd of pleasure-seeking people in a way that will make you regret the end of the evening's entertainment, don't fail to attend the dance to be conducted at Stanley's on the Merrimack tomorrow evening by the members of the Lawrence council.

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